

The WEEK

By A. M. Brayton

FRANCE and Great Britain have concluded a defensive alliance to endure for twenty years. This is interesting news. For months serious differences of opinion between England and France had followed one another. The drift was towards war rather than towards peace. Suddenly it is all patched up.

What does the treaty mean? Of course a defensive alliance against nations that are members of the league of nations is not necessary. Therefore this is an alliance against non-members. They include Germany, Russia and the United States.

The Franco-British treaty, like the four power Pacific treaty, is one of the group understandings such as the covenant of the league of nations recognized might grow up to supplement the league. However, our position is a peculiar one. We have a peace league in the Pacific, but none in the Atlantic. France, England or Japan, or all of them, might attack New York but may not touch the Philippines, so far as reconstruction treaties are concerned. The four power treaty is a patch on peace. Eventually we shall put a peace patch on our Atlantic seaboard. When we acquire enough peace patches, we will be in a patchwork league. We might have had a peace league out of the whole cloth. Ours, now, is apt to resemble one of the old-fashioned crazy quilts. Somehow, it is difficult to have faith in our international police when it leaves us alone in the world excepting for Russia, Germany, Turkey and Mexico. We are running international ally with a hard but made up of international outlays and national down-outs.

St. Patrick's day came to the world with a new flavor. Its old inspiration to carry on the fight which has made Ireland's gallery of celebrities a directory of martyrs had given place to a new note. Peace and new opportunities made the spirit of the day. Griffith and his colleagues in the government of the new Irish Free State gave the world messages of good cheer. Irish societies in America responded. The significant thing about it was the general concurrence of organized Irish patriots throughout the world in the opinion that in the Irish Free State there has come to Ireland the beginning of a new national sovereignty.

Governor John J. Blaine has called a special session of the state legislature to meet March 22. The purpose of the session as urged by the governor are as follows:

(1) To repeal the severe clause covering income taxes.

(2) To amend the income tax law so as to permit the state to recover unpaid taxes for a period of six years instead of three years as now provided.

(3) To transfer back to the soldiers' fund \$40,000 taken from that fund and used by the tax commission for tax collection purposes.

(4) An additional appropriation to carry on the work of the tax commission in recovering uncollected taxes. The bill has created discussion throughout the state. Many critics characterized the governor's action as a political move for the purpose of creating a campaign issue. They say the expense of a special session is not warranted with a regular session only a few months away. Friends of the governor insist that he has a tax dollar is opposed to the special session.

Some observers find significance in the fact that the call was issued shortly after a visit of Senator La Follette to Wisconsin. No doubt the political as well as the legislative phases of the situation will be thoroughly thrashed out on the floor of the house and assembly the coming week.

The rebellion in South Africa seems largely to have been suppressed, although it would probably not be safe to conclude that news despatches permitted to leave that country are entirely correct. There is little news from India, but it is apparent that the uprising there has not reached the proportions that had been expected. Twenty natives were killed by police during a riot Thursday. Disorders of this kind look out, but perhaps the world knows little of what is actually going on in India. The Prince of Wales is unhappy because his mission of peace in India failed. He left under an armed guard.

In his Washington's birthday address in Milwaukee, Senator La Follette said that the Four Power treaty "pledges the United States to place all her resources of means and money at their disposal (that of England, France and Japan) whenever they are attacked." In an address supporting the treaty in the senate Tuesday, Senator Lenroot declared that there is "no provision for the use of force to carry out any of the terms of the agreement." Senator Lenroot's address is a strong brief for the treaty. On the first test of strength, back to 24 when the Robinson amendment was defeated. It requires 24 votes to defeat ratification. Only 23 of the 49 (Continued on page six)

BONUS QUESTION GOES BACK TO HARDING

COAL STRIKE APRIL 1 BELIEVED CERTAIN

MEASURE ESTABLISHING A FISH RESCUE STATION IN LA CROSSE SCHEDULED FOR EARLY ACTION

SIXTY-SEVEN DAY STRIKE OF MINERS IN AFRICA AT END

Protracted "Vacation" of Rand Workers Declared off at Midnight Saturday

FEDERATION REPUDIATES REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT

Smuts Calls on Employers to Re-engage the Miners

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa.—The mine strike, which has lasted for sixty-seven days, will end at midnight Saturday, the order for its cessation having been confirmed by all the unions concerned acting independently of the workers' federation. The mine workers' union, representing 21,000 men, led the way by opposing the proposed plan of a ballot among the men as being impracticable, passing a resolution dissociating itself completely from the "revolutionary movement," and repudiating and condemning it.

Premier Smuts has appealed to the employers to show generosity in re-engaging the men in order to diminish the number of unemployed. He emphasized the urgency of avoiding vindictiveness against those who in many cases acted under compulsion.

In a speech at a meeting of burghers, the premier congratulated them that the movement was broken and the revolutionaries taught a lesson.

44 HIGH SCHOOLS DROPPED FROM THE ACCREDITED LIST

CHICAGO, Ill.—Forty-four high schools in the middle west failed to come up to the standards of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and have been dropped from the accredited list of the association. Milo H. Stuart of Indianapolis, Ind., newly elected president, said Saturday. The names of the schools were not given. J. D. Ellett, Columbia, Mo., was elected first vice president; Edward Miller, Detroit, Mich., second vice president; Harry M. Gage, Cedar Rapids, Ia., secretary; and W. L. Early of Sioux Falls, S. D., treasurer.

ROBINSON PROPOSES TO CONTINUE U. S. LOANS TO FARMERS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Continuance of government loans to farmers through the war finance corporation for another year was proposed in a bill introduced Saturday by Senator Robinson, democrat, Arkansas. He said there was a demand for the bill, particularly from the south and west, where, he said, depression was greatly embarrassing industry, particularly agriculture.

Under the recent law reviving the war finance corporation, its loaning functions would cease July 1 without enactment of the Robinson or a similar continuing measure.

ALIENS IN ARMY ENTITLED TO WAR INSURANCE BENEFIT

WASHINGTON.—Enemy aliens who served with the United States during the world war, are entitled to the benefits of the war risk insurance act under a recent interpretation of the act by the veterans bureau, according to instructions issued Saturday by Director Forney. "According to this decision," Director Forney said, "any claimant who is an enemy alien and who volunteered or was drafted in the army, navy or marine corps and who was not discharged from the service on his own application or solicitation by reason of being an enemy alien, and whose service was honest and faithful, shall be entitled to the benefits of the war risk insurance act."

CHILDREN START FIRE TWO SERIOUSLY BURNED

DELUTH, Minn.—Fire caused by children playing with matches Saturday night resulted in serious burns to two small children. Anastasia LaFontaine, age 8, is at the point of death in a local hospital and her three-year-old brother Gerald is in a serious condition. The mother was away from home when the children started a fire which ignited their clothing. Neighbors extinguished the flames.

LITTLE OPPOSITION WILL BE MET IN THE SENATE IS BELIEF

Bill Has Already Passed the Lower House; Slight Change in Bill Expected

BY BETTY PHILIP FARRINGTON
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Slight modification of the bill to establish a fish station at La Crosse, followed by early action in the senate, was the definite prospect as a result of the action of the senate commerce committee. The measure was referred to a sub-committee at the request of Senator Lenroot, who is a member of the commerce committee.

The sub-committee, composed of Senator Lenroot as chairman, Senator Willis of Ohio, and Senator Ranssall of Louisiana, will give consideration of the measure to determine how many additional employees are necessary to carry on the plans for extending fish rescue work along the northern part of the Mississippi. Senator Lenroot has called for information from this point from the bureau of fisheries and expects to report the bill back to the full committee in short order. The essential features of the bill, he said, will not be modified.

In the discussion of the bill in the full committee, there was little opposition expressed. Senator Lenroot expects the committee will formally report the measure next week. In his opinion, there will not be great difficulty in obtaining passage of the bill by the senate.

It has already passed the house, in fact, it has passed the house twice, having been acted on just before the adjournment of the last congress. Former Representative Bach of La Crosse, now a member of the interstate commerce commission, first proposed the measure. His presence before the senate committee, Senator Lenroot said, would not be necessary.

Passage by the senate of the bill authorizing the purchase of a site for a new federal building in Madison was shown to be almost certain by a poll of the senate committee on public buildings and grounds today (Thursday). It revealed no opposition to the measure in the committee.

The poll was requested by Senator Irvine L. Lenroot, who has taken charge of the measure in the senate. The members of the committee gave authority to Senator Forand of Maine, chairman, to report to measure. It probably will be formally reported within a few days, and action taken within the succeeding week.

As soon as bills on the "unanimous consent calendar" come up for consideration, Mr. Lenroot said he would call on the Nelson bill for action. He anticipates no objections as the bill contemplates no new appropriation.

Interest of both senators from Wisconsin has been concentrated during the week on the discussion of the four power Pacific treaty. Senator Robert M. La Follette, accompanied by his son Robert, Jr., returned to Washington early in the week, but as he has taken no part in the debate, his opposition to the treaty to the senate before the vote next Friday.

Senator Lenroot delivered his address in his support of the treaty just prior to the first vote in which the Robinson amendment was rejected. In that roll call and in the roll call on the Walsh and Pittman amendments, Senator Lenroot voted with the treaty's friends while Senator La Follette was with the treaty's foes.

The junior senator as one of those instrumental in bringing about the agreement to vote on the four power treaty on next Friday.

The fight for legislation providing easier credit for farmers was begun before the senate banking and currency committee when Senator Lenroot appeared in support of his bill designed for that purpose. The measure was the result of the exhaustive investigation conducted by the joint congressional commission of agricultural inquiry originally sponsored by Senator Lenroot in the senate.

Gray Silver, Washington representative of the American Farm Bureau Federation, probably the most powerful farm organization represented here, testified before the committee in behalf of the bill.

In supporting the measure, Senator Lenroot recited the necessity for congressional action for improving the credit facilities of the farmers. The present condition of the agricultural industry, he said, called for legislative action.

UNION ALREADY MAKING PLANS FOR WALK-OUT

Six Hundred Thousand Miners to Quit First of Month Unless the Unforeseen Occurs, Says Lewis

PLANS FOR EVACUATING THE MINES ALREADY UNDER WAY

Sufficient Men to be Kept on to Prevent Flooding and Maintain Properties

NEW YORK.—Six hundred thousand union miners in the anthracite and bituminous fields will quit work April 1 unless some unforeseen solution of the present wage controversy is offered in the meantime. John L. Lewis, president of the international organization of United Mine Workers announced Saturday.

Plans for evacuation of the mines already are under way. Mr. Lewis said. In the event of a walkout, crews of pump men, engineers, firemen, watchmen and helpers will remain at their posts to prevent flooding of mines and maintain the properties, he said. He estimated that 1,000 men would remain on duty in the anthracite and 2,000 in the bituminous mines for such purposes.

Final orders for withdrawal of the men will be issued by the general policies committee of the union at Cleveland or Chicago, probably next week. It was said, effective in case operators and miners fail to arrange a new working contract before April 1.

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ITALIAN DEPUTIES VOTE CONFIDENCE IN NEW CABINET

ROME.—By The Associated Press. The government of Premier Facta was given its first vote of confidence by the chamber of deputies Saturday. The vote was 275 to 89.

ST. PAUL MAN SHOT IN HAND BY BANDIT

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Bishop H. Schroeder, an attorney, was shot in the left hand Saturday night while holding him up while he was waiting for a car. The wound is not serious.

RED RIVER RISING

FARGO, N. D.—The Red river and its tributaries in this section are swollen with water from rain and snow which fell Friday night. The river here is rising but there is no danger of flood according to R. E. Spencer, Moorhead, Minn., United States weather observer.

Obenchain Jury Is Reported To Be Deadlocked

At 9:30 o'clock the nine men and three women jurors were locked up for the night. They had been out about thirty-three hours.

LOS ANGELES, Calif.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Madalyn Obenchain, on trial charged with the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, which went out at noon Friday, had not reached a verdict late Saturday night, and reports that it was deadlocked.

The jury up to this time had made no attempt to communicate with the court.

Rumors that the jury was divided 9 to 3 for conviction persisted during the day, but attorneys for the defense declared they believed a majority of the jurors were for acquittal.

Mrs. Obenchain awaited the action of the jury in the women's department of the county jail. She refused to make any statement except that she was "feeling well and hopeful."

OPPOSING FACTIONS JOIN ISSUE IN THE FIGHT OVER FOUR-POWER PACIFIC PACT

Saturday is Field Day of Oratory on the Treaty With Score of Senators Taking Part in the Debate; Lenroot Takes a Hand

WASHINGTON.—The whole field of controversies centering about the arms conference was reviewed anew in the senate Saturday during an all-day debate on the four-power Pacific treaty.

For the first time since early in the week the treaty's supporters joined battle directly with its irreconcilable opponents and a score of senators and fully as many issues of the treaty fight were drawn into the running cross-fire of argument.

Senator Robinson, democrat of Arkansas, started the field day of oratory with a speech supporting his amendment to pledge the four signatory powers against secret diplomacy. He was seconded in the attack by Senator Johnson, republican, California, who asked why the Franco-Japanese alliance as well as the Anglo-Japanese alliance had not been terminated by the four-power pact and later Senator Borah, republican of Idaho, joined in with an assault on the Shantung settlement as an example of the sort of diplomacy with which he said the United States should not associate itself.

When the discussion drifted to the naval limitation treaty and its fortifications prohibition, Senator Poinsette, republican, Washington, defended the conference as a real peace accomplishment and when the Shantung agreement was assailed, Senator Lenroot, republican, Wisconsin, read portions of the Shantung treaty to support his argument that the conference had produced a great deal of actual benefit to China. Prepared addresses supporting the four power pact were made by Senators Jones, republican, of Washington, and Capper, republican, of Kansas.

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WIRELESS REPORTS ON MARKETS AIM OF LOCAL FARMERS

La Crosse County Farm Bureau Takes Action on Important Subjects

OPPOSE FURTHER INCREASES IN FARM TELEPHONE RATES

Adolph Nuttleman is Elected President of Bureau

An investigation of the advisability of furnishing farmers of the county with wireless service will be made, according to action taken at the annual meeting of the La Crosse County Farm Bureau, held at West Salem. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: president, Adolph Nuttleman; vice-president, S. P. Markle; secretary, W. D. Sandman; treasurer, John Hatz; executive committee, Adolph Nuttleman, S. P. Markle, W. D. Sandman, John Hatz, L. F. Atwater, Emil Koudson and W. J. Dawson.

The following comprise the board of directors: V. S. Keppel, John G. Hatz, W. J. Dawson, Emil Koudson, L. F. Atwater, W. D. Sandman, John Hatz, S. P. Markle and Adolph Nuttleman.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"1. That the thanks and appreciation of the La Crosse County Farm Bureau be and are hereby extended to County Agent, W. E. Spreiter, the Chamber of Commerce of La Crosse, the Community Council, the various civic organizations and business men of the city of La Crosse, the Superintendent and teachers of the City Schools of La Crosse, the County Superintendent and teachers of the county schools, the Village Schools, the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin, the County Health Department and County Nurse, and to all others who lent their assistance and kindly efforts in behalf of the Milk Week campaign in La Crosse county, and to the newspapers for the liberal publicity given in their columns to the activities of the Milk Week.

"That the Farm Bureau of La Crosse county, to whom the inception of the Milk Week campaign is due, regards the campaign as a decided success and that it will again to the advantage and for the benefit of the health of our people and aid in the promotion of the dairy industry, and that the officers of the Farm Bureau be directed to continue the campaign by continued publicity and the promotion of the education of the public to the value and necessity of milk as a food and its products in the upbuilding of the physical and mental strength of the people.

"2. That the directors and officers of the Farm Bureau be instructed to investigate the cost and advisability of installing a wireless radio system in this county for the sending out of daily market reports and other information and news of interest and value to farmers, and the installation of receiving stations in various localities in the county.

"3. That the executive officers be instructed to investigate the recent granting of increases in rates for telephone service in the rural districts and the applications filed for such increases hereafter, and to take proper legal action to secure reductions in rates heretofore granted and to oppose further increases in such rates before the Railroad Commission of Wisconsin, and to represent the Farm Bureau in all hearings affecting the telephone service of the several companies in this county, and to promote and take necessary action to secure

U. S. TROOPS LEAVE RHINE TO TUNE OF "HOW DRY I AM"

COBLENZ.—By The Associated Press.—While a band played "How Dry I Am," the favorite tune at departure of American troops for the homeland, a train carrying 1,100 members of the American Rhine army left here Saturday night. Sixty-four German brides are accompanying their husbands to the United States.

Bright spring weather brought out thousands of the inhabitants to see the Americans off. The train is due at Antwerp Sunday and the men will sail on the transport Cambrai in the afternoon.

The American forces on the Rhine now are below the four thousand mark.

DISCOVERS BABY'S BODY IN BUNDLE CARRIED BY DOG

DELUTH, Minn.—Prompted by curiosity to open a bundle which was being carried by a dog, Herman H. Stern, employee of a local undertaking establishment, found in the bundle the lifeless body of a newly-born infant.

FISHERMEN TO MEET

The La Crosse Rod and Gun club will hold an important meeting next Thursday evening, to consider several matters in the hands of the secretary. All hook and line fishermen who are members of the organization are urged to attend this meeting.

AWAIT RETURN OF PRESIDENT FROM FLORIDA

House Leaders Seek Executive's Views on Compromise Bonus Plan and on Procedure to be Followed

MOTION TO SUSPEND RULES WOULD BLOCK AMENDMENTS

Speaker Gillett Not Yet Decided as to Course to Pursue

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The soldiers' bonus muddle is to be referred to President Harding again.

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, republican house leader, announced Saturday that he had requested a conference with the executive for Sunday evening after the return of Mr. Harding from Florida. He said he would be accompanied to the White House by such other members of the house handling the bonus legislation as the president might wish to consult.

The specific purpose of the proposed conference was not disclosed by Mr. Mondell, but it was reported that he would seek to obtain the president's views on the compromise bill with its bank loan provision in lieu of a cash bonus, as well as his opinion as to whether the measure should be called up Monday under a suspension of the rules as most house leaders desire.

Gillett Undecided

Mr. Mondell's announcement followed a conference between Speaker Gillett and twenty-seven republican house leaders, arranged primarily to discuss the question of procedure in considering the bill. Mr. Gillett announced afterwards that he would not make up his mind before Monday morning as to whether he would entertain a motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill. Such a motion would block all amendments and also prevent a motion to recommit the bill with instructions to the ways and means committee.

The conference in the speaker's office lasted for more than an hour and was behind closed doors. Mr. Mondell was delegated as official spokesman and made this statement: "We discussed the question of the bonus in all its phases, fully, freely, good naturedly, but did not reach any definite conclusion or make any definite arrangement."

Fordney Wants Speed

Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee said he had nothing to add to that statement.

"I want to call up the bill just as soon as possible," he said. "It's going to be passed quickly. I don't think we will change the crossing of a 'C' or the dotting of an 'I.' We have a good bill."

Representative Linchberger of California, a former service man who holds a petition bearing a sufficient number of signatures of house majority members to ensure the calling of a party conference for next Tuesday evening, attended the conference with the speaker. He also had a long talk with Mr. Mondell, but declined to say what had transpired.

Hold Up Conference

Mr. Linchberger is withholding the presentation of his petition to Chairman Tower of the house republican organization, explaining that he hoped it would be possible to achieve without a conference the things that he and other signers of the petition expected to accomplish through a party meeting. When he circulated the petition he said it was the purpose to have "the whole bonus question thrashed out by the republican membership."

NAVAL PROBLEMS UP FOR DISCUSSION AT CAPITAL DINNER

WASHINGTON.—Navy problems were discussed from the standpoint of differences between the navy department and congress as to the proper strength of personnel and ships to be maintained under the naval limitation treaty of the arms conference Saturday at a dinner of the American Society of Naval Engineers, the speakers including Secretary Denby, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt and other navy department officials, and members of the senate and house naval committees.

Senator Ball, Delaware, of the senate naval affairs committee, discussing "the treaty limiting naval armaments," asserted that the utmost efficiency should be maintained in the naval establishment under that agreement.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB HAS A DELIGHTFUL SOCIAL GATHERING

The Members of the Amicitia Club Will be Entertained by Mrs. V. Zeibell

TOMAH, Wis.—(Special) — On Monday evening, the Shakespeare club met in social session, with members of the club members as guests. Covers were laid for forty at the six-thirty dinner served by the committee. Mesdames H. L. Kiehn, H. H. Drew, E. Yackel, H. J. Skinner and Miss Charlotte Williams. A smoker and informal hour followed, the evening concluding with a card party. "Five hundred" was played at eight tables. Favors for high scores were presented Mrs. W. Wagner and Dr. C. L. Anderson. The function was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drew.

The Amicitia club will meet on Monday evening with Mrs. Vernon Zeibell. A picnic dinner will be served at six o'clock, after which a program on missions will be announced by Miss Leonora Trahan, president of the club.

The Round Table Study club met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. C. Humerick. The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Civic Improvement club was held on Thursday afternoon in the community room. Mrs. H. J. Skinner announced the program, which included the following numbers: Community singing, led by Miss Esther Elmhurst; paper, "Instrumental Music," Mrs. William Humerick; paper, "Orchestral Music," Mrs. Laura Bosshard Moran; paper, "Vocal Music," Mrs. George Tucker. An important business meeting followed the program.

The best talent in the public schools has been chosen to present the Junior Operetta, "A Trip to Wonderland," which will be given in the high school auditorium on the evening of March 30. Miss Esther Elmhurst, music director, assigned the parts and is conducting daily rehearsals. Later the Hon. Producing Company will send a director to this city, who will hold final rehearsals and direct the presentation of the operetta. Two hundred children have been assigned parts.

St. Mary's Guild was entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. C. L. Anderson. Jeanette Sowle was hostess to a circle of little friends at a birthday celebration. Music, games and a supper party were pleasing features of the event. Twelve guests were seated at supper.

Miss Hazel Sawyer, county nurse, was absent from her office on March 11, but will be in this city on March 25. The Misses Helen Freeman and Verne Bickel entertained at a dinner party on Monday evening. A social evening and music were enjoyed after the dinner.

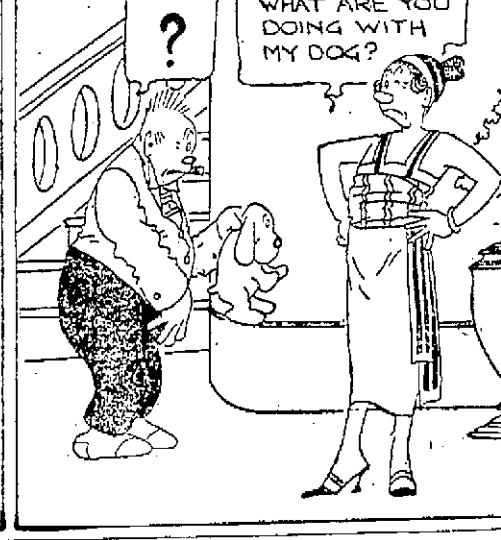
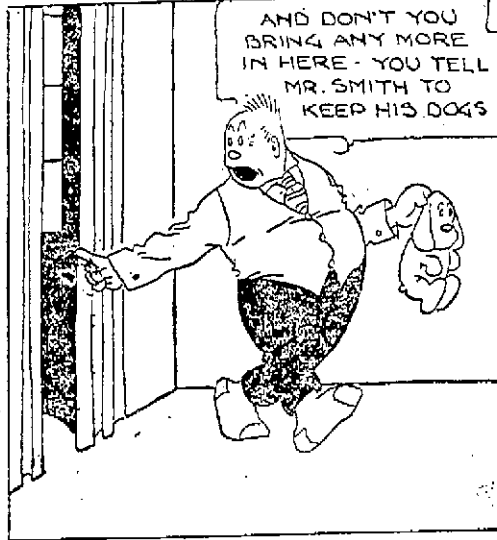
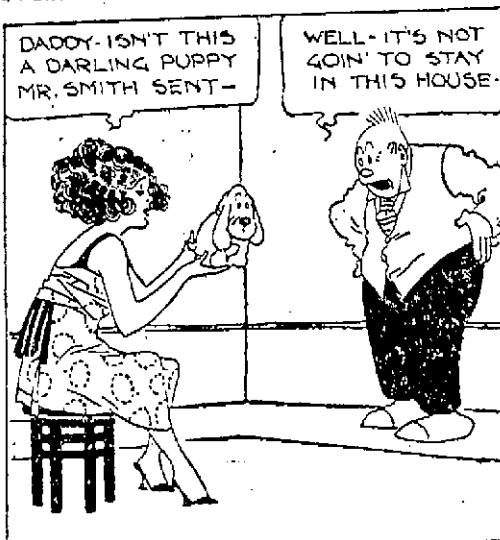
Mrs. W. E. Bartels presided at the grade parents-teachers meeting held on Thursday afternoon. Fifty members of the association were in attendance and an excellent musical program by grade pupils preceded an address by Rev. G. M. Willett. Miss Anna Costello, secretary, read the new constitution which was accepted and signed by those members present. It was voted to hold another meeting of the association in May. "Afternoon tea" was served by the committee. Mrs. L. C. Van Wie, chairman.

Miss Phyllis Brown was honor guest at a party given in honor of her birthday anniversary by Mrs. John Baglerth. Twelve guests were seated at supper.

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in attendance. A supper party concluded the celebration.

Mrs. Clara Quigg was hostess to the Evening Bridge Club on Thursday. Cards were played at two tables, after which refreshments were served.

Forty ladies of the Congregational Sewing Society met on Friday afternoon with Mesdames Thomas McCaul and F. M. Hart. A business meeting was followed by a social afternoon and the serving of light refreshments.

The Shakespeare club meets on Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. L. Anderson. Lesson, King Henry VI, Part II. Leader of Acts 1, 2, 3, Mrs. A. A. Flax. Critics, Mrs. H. M. Hart.

The Saturday Bridge club met with Mrs. H. M. Hart. Cards were played at two tables.

Tomah high school basketball team went to La Crosse on Friday to participate in the tournament put on by the La Crosse State Normal school. Coach Ray Johnson accompanied the team.

The names of Margaret Birkenmeyer, Gertrude Nelson and William Helgen have been added to the T. H. S. Honor Society. The organization is composed of only senior students.

Mr. L. B. Squier, president of the Board of Education, was in attendance in Madison at the meeting of Wisconsin School Board members. He also paid a visit to his alma mater, Wisconsin University.

The Monroe county road school was held in Sparta on March 11 and was attended by a goodly number of

Tomahites and residents of the surrounding rural districts.

The fifteen grade teachers in the public school grades attended the annual meeting of the Northwestern Teachers Association held on Thursday and Friday at La Crosse. The list of those who journeyed to La Crosse included: Supt. W. E. Bush, the Misses Goodenough, E. Clay, A. Costello, M. Wood, M. Preston, M. Robertson, S. Wood, H. Welch, B. McNoun, K. Gleiss, E. Elmhurst, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Morrell, Mrs. S. Donovan.

Miss Marguerite Nelson of Sparta, visited over the week end with her sister, Adeline Nelson.

Mr. Earl Drew, traveling salesman, spent several days at his parental home in this city.

Master Fred Hendrickson entertained a circle of little friends at a birthday celebration on Monday afternoon.

Miss Gertrude Graham is at home after spending two weeks at St. Mary's hospital, Sparta.

Mrs. Otto Franz and children have arrived in this city from a winter's sojourn at Aberdeen, South Dakota. Mr. Franz joins his family here at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Frye were Milwaukee visitors over the week end.

Mr. Harry Beckman was a Sparta Sunday visitor.

Miss Edith Yaeger has gone to Milwaukee where she has accepted a secretarial position.

At a recent meeting of the National Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. Mary Cassels of this city, was appointed to the office of National Aid.

Miss Eva Gardner was a recent visitor at her parental home at Janesville.

Messrs. George Henn and Lyle Thompson were guests over the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Witt of Portage.

Mrs. Ralph Bowen of Augusta, spent the past week with her parents, Assemblyman and Mrs. Miles N. Henneman.

Mrs. Hilda Beck of Sparta, was a Tomah visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. John Balliett who is a teacher in the public schools of Augusta, joined Mr. Balliett in this city over the week end. Mrs. Balliett was before her marriage, Miss Marion Crosby of Sparta.

Rev. Jonathan C. Smith is entertaining his brother, Mr. William Smith, of Columbus, Ohio, who will remain in this city for several weeks.

Stimulated by Hard Times
One thing which has been stimulated by hard times is education. The

enrollment at the colleges and other institutions of an educational character is greater than ever before and at the same time there are more students working their way through such places than ever before. Nearly all the institutions are making special efforts to assist this class of student for it has been discovered that as a rule they are the most desirable and reflect more credit on the college than others whose way is paid by relatives.

Recommendation for the Cabbage
Greater use of the cabbage as an article of diet is urged by the experts connected with the College of Agriculture at Cornell University. It is rich in iron and other mineral salts and it is considered in this country because it is not properly prepared. Plunged into salted boiling water and cooked for twenty minutes and no longer in an uncovered vessel, it is tender and attractive in appearance and easily

digested. Long cooking in covered vessels produces an unattractive mess of a dark brown color, indigestible and robbed of its nourishing qualities.

Oldest English Clock
The oldest English-made clock known is in the tower of the palace at Hampton Court, where it was placed in 1551. It was so complete that it showed the motions of several of the planets, in addition to measuring the time. Part of the original mechanism is still in place.

A champion Nebraska steer has the name "Fatty Arbuckle II."

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9 ft. widths, in lengths of 3 ft.; 3 1-2 ft.; 4 ft.; 5 ft.; 6 ft.; 7 1-2 ft.; 8 ft.; 9 ft.; 9 1-2 ft. and 11 1-2 ft. at each—	\$3.00 to \$12.00	6 ft. widths, in length of 3 ft.; 3 1-2 ft.; 4 ft.; 4 1-2 ft.; 5 ft.; 5 1-2 ft.; 6 ft.; 6 1-2 ft.; 7 ft.; 8 ft. and 8 1-2 ft. at each—	\$2.00 to \$6.00

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Perils of Marriage

It takes nerve to marry these days, says an Omaha minister. He confides that, whenever he unites a couple in the holy bonds of matrimony he looks at the groom and thinks to himself, "Sir, you are a sportsman, tried and true." Each generation in the past has had the same idea about their particular time. So will all future generations. As a matter of fact, it requires less nerve to shoulder family responsibilities today than ever before. Civilization is a featherbed. Economic problems are easier to meet now than in the past. We only imagine they are harder.

Travel back, in imagination, to your ancestor, the caveman. To begin with, he had to win his bride by fighting a rival. The lover with the strongest muscles, sharpest teeth or longest-handled war club emerged alive and claimed the bride. After marriage, father had to protect his family against raiding, murderous outlaws and monster beasts that modern man encounters only in nightmares and delirium tremens. Oh, yes, it took less nerve to marry in those days!

Go back even as short a period as fifty years, to the terrible panic that followed the Civil war. It took real nerve to marry in those days with the country disorganized, infested with outlaws, and the average person about \$10 from the breadline.

In fiction and in history, you can still read of the hardships endured by the pioneers who settled the mountain districts and crossed the plains in prairie schooners. A young couple in those days thought nothing of venturing into the uncharted wilderness with only an axe, a rifle, a bundle of bedding, copper cooking utensils, an iron kettle and maybe a luxury like a clock or horse or cow. They got along all right, too—conquered the barren wilderness and handed it down to their children in the form of fertile fields and wooded clearings. Real folks, those. Get the old family album out of the attic and look at their tin-types.

Compared with the past generations, even the poorest of modern brides and grooms have an easy time. The trouble is, young folks today "want to start where the old folks left off." When they set up house for themselves, they want a house full of furniture and a 1922 model car.

Civilization, the featherbed, has accustomed us to soft ways of living. That's why most of us imagine that it takes Spartan nerve to brave the economic problems of married life in modern times.

Spring Fever

HAVE you noticed your annual attack of spring fever coming on yet? Watch for the symptoms. It's a fine time to take a psychological inventory of the Ego, that mysterious being that moves our bodies as the operator of a marionette show moves his puppet-actors with strings.

Scientists never have been able to agree on exactly what causes spring fever. Some say it's a lethargic drowsiness, caused by the body eliminating poisons accumulated during the physical inaction of winter. Help the elimination by taking long walks, breathing deeply of the fragrant spring air, or starting a garden.

Another theory about spring fever is that it's a reaction from winter, first warm weather making us droop into the sluggishness of the tropics, home of our prehistoric ancestors. Maybe, too, it's an inheritance from the times when the cave man, after a long and monotonous winter in his den, strolled out to bask lazily in the warm spring sunlight.

Old thing is temperature, regulator of the amount of energy your body generates. Hard to work at all on a hot summer day. Rainy weather, also, makes many folks sluggish and drowsy.

Researches by Ellsworth Huntington, of the National Academy of Sciences, show that human efficiency goes up or down with the mercury of the thermometer. At sixty to sixty-five degrees, we do our best physical and brain work, and are healthiest. That's why the temperature of a house, office or workroom never should go above sixty-eight in winter.

Sap starts rising in the trees. Grass sprouts green. Plant life buds. Chirping birds pause on their way north. The ice goes out, fish run on the surface. The bear leaves his den. Timber wolves stop running in packs and mate. That is

spring—the sunrise of a new period of life. The backyard gardener stirs. Farmer whistles in the fields. Gulf bug smacks his lips. Fisherman goes over his tackle. Small boys swarm with marbles, baseballs, kites.

Spring is the time to take a new lease on life, to get a fresh start. Fill your lungs with fresh air and go to it.

The best thing about spring fever is that it's a prelude to another round of intense human activity. Except, of course, for the gent that has spring fever 365 days of the year.

Averages

THE law of averages is mathematical in its accuracy. When a scientifically-managed chain store system wants to open a new shop, it has "clockers" count the passing crowds, to learn what location has the most traffic flowing past its doors.

It is definitely known that a set percentage of the passers-by will turn into the new store. This is the law of averages—that, while a thing may not happen repeatedly, it will show up, on the average, every-so-often.

Gamblers use the law of averages, figuring systems to beat the bank at Monte Carlo. It is a law that should be taken into consideration in all proposed undertakings.

Buying

FINE news from the middle west, where sales of farm implements are fifty percent more than a year ago. This is a direct result of the rise in prices of farm products. The country cannot have good times until the farmers' buying power is restored. On our farms live 32,000,000 people, nearly a third of the total population. When they stop buying, the other two-thirds have a dull maker for what their factories and mills produce.

The darkest hued Easter egg is the one who won't buy wile a new hat.

There would have to be two born every minute to supply the demand.

Love nests don't set well.

CHURCH NEWS

Furnished by the Church News Association

Methodist church publications are receiving protests from readers because they publish moving picture advertisements. In consequence some Methodist officials are calling on Will H. Hays, the new moving picture head, to clean out and clear up the movies. Officially Methodists are expressing the view that Hays has in hand a harder job than running the post-office department, in a statement issued by the church in question the matter of condemning the moving films altogether and advising Methodists never to go to the movies is discussed. The plan is one said in the statement to have been the one followed in the past, and to be a mistaken policy. The statement described the stand years ago on novels and their reading, and puts the moving film case in the same list. Methodists are called on, in the statement, just issued, to do more than to accept proper pictures. They are asked openly and vigorously to condemn improper pictures, and thus make it easier for the Methodist churches and others themselves to use moving films. Crimes rampant now are laid to the door of the films. The aim of Methodists ought to be, so their officials say, to use the films for education and even for evangelization.

Congregationalists announce preliminary but fairly accurate financial figures for the year 1921, and show that their receipts for all general agencies amounted to even figures to \$2,800,000. This sum comes from living donors, and will be increased somewhat by legacies. The gain over 1920 is barely \$60,000, and keen regret extends throughout the denomination. The amount set for the 1921 year was \$5,000,000, and most benevolence funds thus accordingly. Now it is admitted the plans will have to wait. Some of these plans were important ones in American fields. A reason for the small progress is given as the financial times. A second reason is the large giving recently made to help one for aged ministers. Since the war ended Congregationalists have been engaged in providing a pension fund of \$5,000,000 to pension ministers, and they secured pledges to the amount of \$6,104,000, of which \$3,422,000 has been paid in during the past two years. The American board fell into debt \$430,000, but the denomination got solidly behind it and is steadily putting it out. In one year, with the aid of the women, the board increased its receipts by \$115,000. Not related to its indebtedness, but closely related to its work, are the facts that a Rich American has placed \$2,000,000 in the board care, and the Bulgarian government has purchased a site for a college in Sofia modeled on Robert college at Constantinople, which this board is to administer. The board reports that both of these plans are progressing in spite of the fact that 1921 saw practically no increase in Congregational benevolent funds.

Episcopal church leaders, laymen and clergymen alike, are known to have protested in numbers that the Rt. Rev. Dr. Thomas P. Gailor, who is bishop of Tennessee, but also the official head of the Episcopal church, misrepresented them in his stand on prohibition and the enforcement of the eighteenth amendment. The bishop's contention that he spoke as an individual only was repudiated, in that a man holding a position at the head of a leading religious body cannot separate himself from this office.

Without consulting Bishop Gailor, so he says, the Rt. Rev. Dr. William P. Manning, bishop of New York, sidetracked a Lenten topic on which he was to have spoken at the cathedral in New York under auspices of the New York Church club, and called upon Episcopal clergy of New York to preach and work for law enforcement. He went further and said he believes prohibition is working wonders for good. He gave a ringing appeal to all men to take a like stand, and adds a defense of Bishop Gailor, to the effect that he is really patriotic, sincere and for the most part wise.

The Rev. Dr. William H. Van Allen of Boston, an Episcopal church leader, asked what he thought to be the most serious menace to the progress of the church, and through it the progress of all uplift work, replied with emphasis the loss of belief in a personal God. He says the condition on every hand, and thinks the issue of a recent book in England which mentions a like condition confirms him in the view that the tendency is world wide. It seems not to be a defection of church members so much as of near Christians—those on the outer edge of religious activities. People strolling from being classed as atheists, and shudder at the word agnostic, yet they look upon God as a mere force, or a system of laws, or something so far away as not to be within the realm of common men's experience, much less of human love.

FRANCE AND THE GENOA CONFERENCE

(By Frank H. Simonds.)
PARIS—Since I discussed the Genoa conference from London, the American note defining the invitation to participate has changed the whole European situation. At the moment of writing from Paris it is possible, even likely, that the conference will be held, but it will no longer be thought that the conference itself can have far-reaching consequences.

The reason is, second, laying as it be the effect of the American refusal, two factors remain: first, the political situation of Lloyd George; second, the undisputed hostility of France to the Genoa project, which goes back to Cannes and Briand. As to the British situation, Genoa in its genesis was a Georgian proposal directed at the British electorate. Political circumstances convinced the British premier that a general election based on the Irish settlement and the Washington conference and the Genoa project was not only desirable but necessary.

Delay British Election

Now the election is postponed, owing to the British political crisis, the Irish settlement, "zone built," and the debates in the Senate which suggest danger for the Washington treaties. Lloyd George has served notice that the Tories must change their methods or he'll resign. Paris believes his resignation is already written. Anyhow, the main problem now is whether he has lost interest now that Genoa cannot supply the political advantages hoped for.

As to the French, they are opposed to Genoa because Briand advocated it. While the project was discussed the battle of the British and French was going on. Briand's overthrow was partly a consequence of Washington, partly a result of other success by British diplomacy over French, and a general distrust of Lloyd George then existing in France. Nevertheless, at London, Briand, having succeeded Briand across to Genoa and convinced that the Russians are not to be trusted, but should have actual recognition, he consented reluctantly, however, since it is a settled French belief that every conference turns out a French disaster.

Would Abandon Meeting

Today distrust and skepticism continue. The French would be glad if Genoa were postponed indefinitely or should not come off at all. The Lloyd George crisis awakened much disgust, the American note, not unexpected, had even multiplier effects. Much as France disagrees with British and troubles about American purposes, few Frenchmen actually desire a real break with either nation.

Lloyd George, after his period of greatest popularity in France after the war, became the most hated man in France. His successes brought down several French ministries. In recent months, the French press has very generally assailed him. Now, when it is clear he may retire, the French are sobered by the realization that he may be followed by a Labor or Independent Liberal ministry which will not only refuse France a treaty guarantee, but turn its back on France, and seek to build up an Anglo-Russian combination.

Thus there has been a marked shift of French sentiment, not only toward Lloyd George but also toward Britain. The bitterness of the Washington days does not find a present repetition. Instead there is apprehension that there may be a revolution in British politics, a complete divorce between France and Britain, with no alliance treaty or guarantee actually ratified. At least France hopes that before Lloyd George retires the Anglo-French guarantee treaty will be ratified, for it believes that if British radicals came into power they would not repudiate such an agreement, although they never would make one.

U. S. Unfriendly?

As to the American note. On the surface the refusal of the United States to go to Genoa echoed the French objection, thus strengthening French opposition. American hostility to meeting the Russians also fell in with French feeling and was equally welcome. Nevertheless, the French did feel that under the surface the American note was markedly unfriendly to France and so was dangerously significant.

As the French are not interested in having the Genoa conference, they are vitally interested that the United States participate in European reconstruction and the real meaning of the Hughes note to them was that the United States was not prepared to do this. Now it does not matter how often the statement is made in America that the United States is not coming back to Europe, the fact remains that Europe generally and France particularly still built their main hopes of ultimate relief upon the American return.

Today the French are ready to agree to an enormous reduction in the German reparations. The famous Chequers plan agreed on in December by both the British and the French proposed a division of the sum of the German reparations of one hundred and fifty-five billion francs into two parts, one to be set aside for industrial and other, amounting to seventy billion francs, and the other to be set aside for the reconstruction of Germany, to be turned over to German creditors. Germany then would sell bonds and pay her creditors with the proceeds, later paying off the principal.

But such a loan is only sellable in the United States. If America would not buy German securities, no other country could. Moreover, the other half of the total was to be set aside with the expectation to be cancelled when the United States was prepared to cancel the Allied debts. The Chequers plan, representing as reasonable a proposal as has yet been presented, carried all sorts of provisions for reducing the armies of occupied German territory, etcetera. But it was based upon two ideas, the Amer-

BABSON DETECTS BRIGHT SPOTS IN MOUNTAIN STATES

WATERPOWERS TO CREATE WEALTH



Continuing his personal survey of business conditions throughout the country Roger W. Babson, economist, furnishes the following extended statement to The Tribune on conditions in the mountain states:

"Up to recent weeks one could not honestly write optimistically of conditions in the mountain states. Conditions now look better, however, from several angles. With the exception of Colorado, the situation is pretty spotty. The emergency tariff is helping to some extent the wool growers, but all stock raisers have been obliged to take tremendous losses on their heads. The banks in Montana, Northern Idaho, Wyoming, Eastern Colorado, Southern Utah, Northern Arizona and Eastern New Mexico, are forced to renew nearly all their paper and are very fortunate to get interest. The situation is ap- plying righting itself, however, and from present indications stock raisers and wool growers will get favorable prices for their products this year. Their position will also be strengthened by reduced operating expenses and by avoiding speculation.

"The leading situation was exceedingly dull throughout 1921. The copper mines of Utah and Arizona have been almost completely shut down while the lead, silver and other mines have been running at a very low clip. The only activity has been in the coal and iron sections of Colorado due to the persistent operation of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. Today there is not on hand the tremendous stock of copper that there was a year ago. I really believe that the copper situation has turned the corner and am bullish both on the price of the metal and the price of the good copper stocks.

GOLD MINES "Zinc and lead have not progressed so far in readjustment as copper. Gold production is at a very low level on account of the small purchasing power of the metal in terms of money. Favorable congressional action, in the form of a situation is much better, owing to the sustaining influence of the Pittman act, which provides for the purchase of 271,000,000 ounces of new domestic silver at one dollar an ounce, to reduce a similar amount in dollars melted down during the year. It will take several years to complete these purchases. Most producers obtain silver as a by-product of copper, gold, lead and zinc. Hence the favorable factors surrounding silver will be overshadowed in most cases by the weakness in other metals.

"The worst conditions are found to be in Arizona and New Mexico. Manufacturers and merchants cannot expect to sell many goods in these states during 1922. All money which these people get they must use for paying their bills. Being a director of a very large land company operating in these states, I know that many of these stock raisers have not the funds with which to pay the rent of their lands. Of course, it is very sad that these men will not save money during good times for certainly they made great profits only a few years ago. However, the only business thing to do is to extend credit to these people. They come up quickly as they go down quickly. They some day will be making money again and will loyally remember those who have been kind to them during this period of stress. Moreover, the condition of the range is fair and 1922 may be a good rainy year.

"One of the important industries of the mountain states is lumbering. Like mining and stockraising, however, lumbering also is very dull. There is no immediate outlook for higher lumber prices. The lumber people, however, are greatly reducing their operating expenses. Labor has been cut 50 per cent in many sections and the efficiency of the men is much greater. The lumberist element which so super the camps a few years ago has largely subsided. The entire labor situation has greatly improved. Building, however, will pick up and the demand for lumber will increase. More lumber should be kept their organizations together and not get discouraged. One thing is certain, lumber is growing all the time. This means that the tracts will gradually become more valuable. Every time I take a trip throughout the country I am astonished at the fewer and fewer forests that remain.

OIL FIELDS "The brightest spots are those sections where oil is being found. In nearly all these mountain states there are certain sections where oil developments either exist or are contemplated. The very act of boring for oil creates a temporary prosperity. As people come into the territory a demand for supplies and labor is created while a general optimism pervades the community. It is oil is finally discovered this means a real new source of wealth. These towns where oil developments are being carried on are the ones that salesmen should seek. For this reason Texas, Oklahoma and adjoining territory were for some time, the most prosperous of the southern, western or mountain states. Of course even in these oil communities money is not being spent today as it was a couple of years ago. They are now buying Dodge cars instead of Pierce Arrows. But the oil is still coming out of the ground, cash is paid for the product, and there is no distress excepting among speculators who deserve it.

"One cannot help but be optimistic on this country considering the wonderful undeveloped water power resources. Many sales managers would be interested in securing from the federal power commission in Washington a list of these projects. Certainly the list should be interesting, reading to those engaged in the sale of machinery, contractors' supplies and the like. Not only does the construction of these plants produce a certain amount of business but they continue forever as a source of great wealth. In the long run a water power is much better for a community than mines or forests, and all wells which are already in time become depleted.

"Permits applied for already to cover projected developments from Alaska to Texas and from the Atlantic to the Pacific. These developments will involve hundreds of millions of dollars worth of equipment. Hundreds of applications for permits to construct dams, power plants, reservoirs, transmission lines, locks, tunnels and other work associated with power development, are now before the commission. Interested people should make arrangements to receive the weekly list of applicants issued by the federal power commission.

SUGAR TO IMPROVE "During the war the beet sugar districts of Utah, Colorado and Idaho profited greatly; but with the decline in the price of sugar this industry is absolutely flat today. During 1921 the beet sugar growers nearly all lost money, but by drastic cuts in operating costs they will do better in 1922. The sugar industry is a basic industry and will receive protection from congress. Good sugar securities are now an attractive purchase.

"The most prosperous industry of the mountain states last year was the tourist business. This will not be especially active during 1922; but no one loses money on it. Whatever money comes in is pretty much profit. If the Western Pacific railway succeeds in taking over the Denver & Rio Grande railroad considerable money will be spent upon it which directly and indirectly will benefit this section. Although our sympathies must go out to Pueblo, yet this section will ultimately benefit from the disaster. Pueblo is a good city and will come back all right.

"Compared with conditions a few years ago, the corn belt of the central west shows up worst on the Babson chart of any section of the country. The reason for this is largely owing to the great prosperity which the central enjoyed during the war. Actually, however, the conditions in the central western states are not so bad as in the mountain states. Moreover, their recovery should be more rapid. While impossible to honestly write optimistically regarding present conditions in this section, the future looks better. Heavily regarding present conditions in this section, the future looks better. Heavily regarding present conditions in this section, the future looks better.

"The index for the Babson chart shows some improvement this week. Business stands at 12 per cent normal, compared with 13 per cent a week ago. This improvement is encouraging and may indicate the seasonal quickening which should be expected during the early spring months.

NEXT WEEK "PACIFIC STATES"
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here Saturday following an extended illness. Dr. King was the author of several medical text-books. He had resided in Colorado for more than fifteen years.

GAS TANKS LET GO MEMPHIS, Tenn.—Hollywood, a suburb, was rocked late Saturday by the explosion of two tanks of gasoil at the plant of the Royal Refining company. A number of employees but there were no fatalities. The fire which followed the explosion was soon brought under control.

COURT UPHOLDS FRATS JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.—The state supreme court Saturday upheld high school fraternities in an opinion on a case brought by W. R. Wright and other taxpayers of St. Louis against the school board of that city.

DR. KING DEAD DENVER, Colo.—Dr. B. M. King, brother of W. L. McKenzie King, premier of Canada, died at his home

BERLIN PROPOSES WIEDFIELD AS U. S. AMBASSADOR

WASHINGTON.—Although no official information could be obtained from the state department Sunday it became known that the name of Otto Ludwig Wiedfield, one of the high officials in the Krups organization has been submitted to the German government to the U. S. to determine his acceptability as ambassador from Berlin in Washington.

Coaxing Doesn't Help Food prices dropped 2 per cent in England last month, and went up 4 per cent in this country, where most of the food is produced. In England they are not through with the profiteers when they have been scolded.

LOAN ASSOCIATION FORMED IN SPARTA BY U. S. LAND BANK

All of Monroe County and Two Eastern Tiers of Townships in La Crosse to be Served

NEAR EAST RELIEF FUND TO
SEEK AID IN SPARTA SOON

Headquarters Company, W. N. G., Inspected by Army Colonel

SPARTA, Wis.—About one hundred attended the movie program put on by the Sparta Holstein Breeders' Association, Thursday afternoon, at the Bell theater. The film which was especially interesting was "Holsteins in America," and to those not so much interested in breeding the film "Growing Alfalfa," and "Milk, Nature's Food," was more entertaining. Mr. Othman, secretary of the Wisconsin Breeders' association, was scheduled to speak in the forenoon, but as he had to catch an outgoing train, and only time to speak to a few of those assembled. The Holstein breeders are planning to hold meetings from time to time, not only in the interest of their own line, but also to do their share in boosting the dairy interests of Monroe county.

Land Association Formed
Mr. Arnold of the St. Paul federal land bank was in the city last week and organized the Sparta National Farm Loan association. There is a board of five directors, with Carl E. Hanson, president; Albert E. Benson, vice-president; and Fred A. Holgren, secretary-treasurer.

There is also a loan committee of three members. The organization starts with about twenty loans applied for. The territory assigned to this association is all of Monroe county and the two eastern tiers of townships of La Crosse county. The fourth annual party school held at the court house was a decided success. County highway commissioner Charles Millard was in charge. Many of the officers of the various towns were present and the roll call of the patronage showed every man present with the exception of two, who were ill.

Rodenhuis to Convention
Manager Rodenhuis of the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light & Power company will go to Milwaukee to attend the state electric light and power convention which will be in session there next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

George B. Laird, state organizer for the Near East Relief fund, was in this city Thursday and made arrangements for an appeal for this relief work to be made in this city next month. He plans to return here April 20, when he will speak at a big union mass meeting. Rev. Ernest Edward North, pastor of the First Methodist church, has consented to act as temporary chairman.

Albert Craig, while working about a wood saw, the first of the week, met with an accident that cost him the toes of his left foot. He slipped and in trying to get his balance, thrust his foot into the saw. He was brought to St. Mary's hospital.

School Board Sells Northrup Building
Wednesday, the Board of Education received and opened sealed bids for the different buildings on the high school property. The Board disposed of the Northrup property to L. M. Stevens for \$581, but rejected the bids for all the other buildings on the square. There is also the Wells property, the Harmon place, the Belle Ade buildings, and one or two others to be sold.

The remains of Mrs. Abe Fairbanks, a former resident of Sparta, was brought here for burial, and services were held in the Methodist church Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Ernest Edward North. Interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery. Mrs. Fairbanks was formerly Miss Mary S. Peddler. She was born in Vermont in 1840. In 1856 she was united in marriage to Abram P. Fairbanks, at Racine. Mr. Fairbanks died in 1903. Three daughters and a son survive their parents. Mrs. Belle Ziegler of Norwalk; Mrs. Ois R. Fairbanks, Galena, Ill.; Mrs. William Pettis, Sparta; and Mrs. Fred Heilman, Sparta. For some years, Mrs. Fairbanks has made her home at the Wisconsin Veterans' home in Waupun, and here her death occurred on March 9th.

Doxrud Candidate Again

Prospective candidates for county offices have been getting their political friends lined up, and the first candidate for a county office has made his announcement. O. H. Doxrud, for some years past, the clerk of court, has announced himself a candidate to succeed himself.

Lt. Col. C. J. Nelson, Infantry, U. S. H., inspects the Headquarters company 64th Brigade Infantry, W. N. G., this city, on Friday. The men were

equipped with a neat fitting uniform and a pair of shoes, before the inspection. New steel lockers have been provided and all property was inspected in the lockers during the afternoon.

Ruth Morris was hostess to the Offway Camp Fire girls, Wednesday evening at the Congregational Manse. A delightful dinner was served. Mrs. Harry M. Newton was guardian. The girls present were Mary Davis, Frances Beebe, Dorothy Davis, Katherine French, Gladys Arnold, Florence De Bruin, Lillian McCoy, Helen Van Anwerp, Martha Ruth Amou, Frances Williams, Harriet Affeldt, Martha Thorburn, Ruth Morris, Madge Stellick and Vera Bowler.

Ripon Glce Club Coming

On Wednesday, March 29, the Ripon College Boys' Glce club will give a concert in the Congregational church, under the auspices of the Sparta staff of the Sparta High School.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Muhl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Muhl of Tamm City, and Mr. Arthur Fred Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall of Hotel Sparta, took place at the Methodist parsonage, Wednesday afternoon. The ring ceremony was used. Rev. E. E. North was the officiating clergyman. Miss Edna Hall and Harry Hall, brother and sister of the bridegroom, attended the couple. After a short wedding trip, they will establish their home near Spring Lake, the groom being a highway patrolman in that locality. Their many friends extend good wishes.

GIRL RESERVE ACTIVITIES

MARCELL Crook, a Hogan School girl, has the distinction of having won the Girl Reserve Honor ring in six months, the shortest time required to achieve this result by any Girl Reserve in the city. Marcell joined the Hogan school corps in October, Hogan is the newest corps in the city.

A "surprise program" was put on Monday afternoon by members of the Hogan School corps. Each girl had previously been notified to come to the morning meeting to do something for the entertainment of other members, and a very original and clever program was the result. The program included the following numbers:

Dramatic poem—"Mabel Ottum."
Lullaby Song—"Elsie Tessey, Flora Adams, Verna Middleton."

Recitation, "Market Day"—Helen Homestead.

A Railroad Story—Matilda Wicks.

Piano Solo, "Rustle Dance"—Edna Anderson.

Aesthetic Dance—Lillian Bachel-

der. Recitation, "A Toad"—Marcell Crook.

Original Dramatization, "A Day in School"—Marcell Crook, Frances Burgess, Marion Davis.

Recitation, "Upside Down"—Beatrice Butler.

Dramatization, "The New Girl"—Helen Bauman, Juanita Wehnke, Ruth Miller, Lillian Bachelder, Josie Burke.

Piano Solo, "The Minuet"—Helen Bauman.

Tuesday evening Vocational Girl Reserves were defeated in a basket ball game by the W. B. U. girls. The score was 21 to 13. The Vocational line-up included Irene Buschman, Caroline Schultz, Julia Jiracek, Ruth Olson, Irene Gerky and Crilla Silha.

The second number of the Hogan School Girl Reserve newspaper was issued during the week. The members taking turns in editing the paper.

A talk on "England" was given by Erda Gobel at the meeting of High School Freshmen Girl Reserves Wednesday afternoon. The speaker came from England with her family two years ago to make their home in America.

Washington corps enjoyed a hike Wednesday afternoon.

A St. Patrick's Day party was given at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday afternoon by High School Girl Reserves. The tables were decorated in green, and the refreshments carried out the same color scheme. A surprise to the club was the presentation by Charlotte Graus, in honor of her birthday, of a large cake decorated with green candles.

Washington Corps hitched to the Y. W. C. A. camp on French Island, Thursday morning, and had a picnic dinner there.

Fish is the primary food of 37,000,000 people in Japan.

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FILLED MILK BILL OFFERED IN HOUSE BY BADGER MEMBER

Congressman Voight Carries Fight Against Filled Milk to National Congress

DECISION ON LEGALITY OF
BADGER LAW NOW PENDING

Law Held in Abatement Until Ruling is Made

MADISON, Wis.—The filled milk question now pending before the Wisconsin supreme court has now become a national question following the introduction of a bill in congress by Representative E. G. Voight similar to the measure passed by the last session of the state legislature. Congressman Voight, confident that the Wisconsin supreme court will uphold the constitutionality of the state law, is making a fight to have the same measure enacted so that it would be prohibited from interstate commerce or from exportation.

The filled milk law in Wisconsin prohibits the manufacture or sale of a product made from skim milk and coconut oil. Six condensaries in the state united to fight the new law. Long hearings have been held before Judge A. Zimmerman acting as referee to determine the facts upon which arguments will be based before the supreme court.

"Notwithstanding the fact that the referee's report seems somewhat liberal toward these companies," says Congressman Voight, "and that some of the material facts are not found in the referee's report, I feel absolutely confident in predicting that the supreme court will find the prohibitory law to be constitutional. The referee has found that this compound has been sold for the genuine article and that in many cases the public has not received value for its money. These circumstances justify the legislature of a state in passing a law which will make such a fraud impossible."

"The courts have frequently decided that when the legislature finds an evil to exist, that the method of abatement of that evil lies within the discretion of the legislature. If then, the legislature of Wisconsin

was of the opinion that the only way to prevent fraud from being perpetrated on the public in this case was to prohibit entirely the manufacture of the article, then the legislature had the constitutional power to make a law having that effect."

In the meantime, while awaiting the hearing before the state supreme court, Wisconsin's law is held in abatement. An injunction was secured by the Hebe and Carnation companies last fall restraining Dairy and Food Commissioner J. Q. Emery from enforcing the law until its constitutionality has been tested. The Wisconsin case will probably be heard in the supreme court during the first week in May.

VEGETABLE COLOR IS NOT PERMITTED IN ICE CREAM

The local ice cream manufacturers here have been notified that the new law covering the sale and manufacture of ice cream is to be strictly enforced.

This new law prohibits the use of vegetable color in the manufacture of Vanilla and New York ice cream but does permit the use of color in fruit and nut creams. Ice cream is white in color, although natural sweet cream has a light yellow color, more so during the summer than the winter months, and when frozen into ice cream it becomes white.

For the past eight or ten years, the ice cream manufacturers in this section have added a certain amount of vegetable color, giving to the ice cream a creamy appearance. This was done by manufacturers because of public demand. To the consumer it was more pleasing to the eye, hence, they demanded colored ice cream in preference to white.

The coloring of butter and cheese was favored both by the consumer and manufacturer, due to the fact that it would be more uniform in color throughout the various seasons of the different times of the year. Public demand possibly had something to do with it, as it was more pleasing to the eye.

There is no law prohibiting the use of vegetable color in butter or cheese, but since there is a law prohibiting its use of ice cream, the best manufacturers are forced to comply with that law.

The Gay Dog—"The woman I marry must have three qualifications: Property, riches and money."—Der Brunner (Berlin).

DISCUSS VENTILATING AND HEATING SYSTEM IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Hearing on Reasonableness of Industrial Commission Rules Planned at Madison

MADISON, Wis.—A conference on the problem of heating and ventilation in public buildings, particularly in schools, theaters, assembly halls and hotels will be conducted by the Industrial Commission at Madison, on Wednesday, March 22.

Discussion is to be held on the reasonableness and adequacy of the requirements which are now enforced by the commission. These requirements at present are very general, and the commission desires information as to how the prescribed results can best be obtained.

Invitations to attend the conference have been extended to heating and ventilating engineers of Wisconsin and neighboring states, and to all licensed architects. The State Building Code Committee will sit with the commission because it is likely that change in the present building requirements will result.

While the commission's requirements have not prescribed devices or designs, but have only insisted on results, it is regarded important, the claims made on behalf of the various heating and ventilating systems should be presented by their sponsors, the commission said.

Diagnosis.
A party of soldiers stopped some laborers in search their dinner pails for hidden arms.

All at once a soldier gave a cry and hurried across of the officer in charge, holding at arm's length a hard, heavy mass.

After due examination the officer pronounced it a suspicious metal which would endanger public safety, and started to question the workman in whose possession it was found.

"And you think that's dynamite, do ye?" asked Pat. "Be jabbers, I've been puzzlin' my head over it all day. You see, my old woman calls it cake."

MRS. MARY BELLAWS DESERTED 3 YEARS AGO ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Mary Bellows has filed complaint in divorce proceedings in circuit court against her husband, Garth Bellows. He is charged with deserting his wife and children nearly three years ago. His present whereabouts are unknown. It was said, Bellows was a railroad brakeman or trainman. They were married in Dubuque Jan. 23, 1917, and have two children. Shortly after they were married, Bellows tried to enlist in the army, the complaint states. Mrs. Bellows says the father has never seen their youngest child.

It Sounded Rough.
He—"But, my dear young lady, don't you ever wash?"

She—"Certainly not! Only scrape and rub!"—and there was no one to tell the dear old thing at the next table that they were merely two artists (discussing technique).—London Opinion.

POLICE HERE FROWN ON NEW YORK CITY'S 'STRONGARM' METHOD

Chief Webber Says Metropolitan
Policeman's "Treat 'em
Rough" Idea is all Wrong

KINDNESS GETS BEST RESULTS
IN OPINION OF OFFICERS

Courts Should Deal Rigidly With
Criminals; Against Pardoning

THIS statement of a veteran New York policeman that the way to deal with a major fraction of the criminal element is to "beat the tar out of them with a hickory night-stick" finds no assenting echo in the La Crosse police department.

Likewise, La Crosse police are growing weary of the oft repeated and false assertions of prisoners or witnesses that police departments, La Crosse in common with other cities, have beaten prisoners either in the process of arrest or at headquarters in an effort to make them tell what they know.

"La Crosse police absolutely do not 'manhandle' their prisoners and furthermore they don't believe they would gain anything if they did," said Chief Edna Webber on Saturday. "No one knows better than the policeman that a crook has most of the human qualities of the better behaved member of society and that decent treatment is likely to make him tell or do what is wanted of him much more readily than will brutality.

"Put Fear Into Criminals."

The theory of the New York policeman was that the criminal is stopped only by something he fears and dislikes, and that he has so little imagination that the prospect of an immediate beating is more distasteful to him than the remote likelihood of imprisonment.

"Work is not pleasant for many of us," he is reported to have said. "The means by which we often acquire our livelihood is often drudgery; the alternative is to get it through the labor of someone else. That way, unless we have been endowed with incomes, means that we must exist by begging or stealing. That is just what the criminal does. Work is so distasteful to him that he won't do it. He lacks physical courage to use his muscles and his brain steadily and vigorously in honest earning.

This is the policeman's faith in the 'strongarm'.

"Strong Arm Stuff Best."

"Make the criminal so darned uncomfortable in the crime business that he quits it for something else that doesn't hurt so much. The crook doesn't care for your comfort and safety. If he enters your home and you resist his attempts to steal he doesn't hesitate to shoot you. He is glad enough to do this or anything else that will save him from work.

"If, however, he is driven from his haunts by the club and the black-jack; if strong squads break up his gang by the knockdown and dragout methods, and if the attack on him is sustained, he will do one of three things. He will quit crime, go elsewhere or fight back. In any case the police win a big advantage."

Not so, declares Chief Webber. "In the first place," the chief said, "the criminal is not waiting around with a tag on, announcing who he is and inviting the police to do as they will with him."

"The informed policeman with the club makes relatively few of the arrests of criminals," he said. "The crook—it goes without saying—does his work when the informed policeman is somewhere else and it remains for the plain-clothes detective to run him to earth and take him into custody."

"Doesn't Get Results."

"There is no getting away from the fact that the criminal does risk meeting great violence when he does his work. The man he is robbing or assaulting may shoot him dead, and the policeman, whether in uniform or plain clothes, is likely to do the same, as the annals of the department prove. This, however, is strictly in line of duty and is necessary for self protection and law enforcement. It is a matter of meeting the needs of the moment and is wholly different from going out with the idea of finding lawbreakers and beating them up."

"In the second case, the practice of manhandling the man after arrest—third degree stuff, as it is called—doesn't get results. If a crook is hard he merely dries up and shrinks into his shell when he gets rough treatment. And most of them are plenty hard."

"On the other hand, the arrested man, who is treated and thinks he is getting a square deal from the officers is much more likely to tell what he knows and become of real assistance in clearing up a case. Understand, the police department makes him no promises of leniency. Police have no right to do that and neither has the district attorney. The punishment of a criminal rests wholly with the courts. All the courts can do is testify regarding the man's behavior. The district attorney may recommend leniency, but that is all.

If he brings a charge carrying a less penalty than the crime warrants that fact is wholly likely to come out at the trial, when all circumstances of the offense are revealed."

"Strongarm" Method Dropped.

In many years gone by there might have been times when La Crosse police did "roughhouse" some of their prisoners, both at the time of the arrest and afterwards, in an effort to make them talk. Chief Webber said, "However, I can recall only one case of 'roughhousing' in 25 years and that policeman is no longer a member of the force."

"Strongarm" and "roughhouse" tactics have been a fact in practically all the histories of police departments all over the country, the chief declared. And it is by that method that they have learned how little is to be gained by brutality and how much more effective, as well as legal and decent, is the practice of giving the prisoner the protection and treatment to which the law entitles him."

The difference between the New York and La Crosse attitude probably is explained by the wide difference in the situations of the two places, police officers say. In La Crosse, the crook-in-the-wood criminal is a rare bird. In New York a further has been created by criminals, shooting and killing police officers. New York is clamoring for revenge.

Make Criminals Pay.

However much Chief Webber may be against the idea of "strongarm" methods in dealing with prisoners, the chief believes that when a man is a criminal he is always a criminal, that he makes it his business to be a criminal the same as other persons are doctors, lawyers, business men and mechanics.

"When a criminal is tried and found guilty I believe the courts

should be rigid in sentencing him to prison. And I am against pardoning the criminal after he gets into the penitentiary," said the chief. "A confirmed criminal should serve the full sentence imposed on him."

HOSPITAL REPORT SHOWS BUSY YEAR AT THE GRANDVIEW

The Grandview hospital treated 1576 patients during the past year, according to the annual report of the hospital. Of these 1305 were adults and 271 children.

The summary of work done in the hospital follows: Number of operations, 1291; number patients operated upon, 1050; death rate, surgical, less than 1 per cent; number of medical cases, 412; death rate, medical, 61; death rate, maternity, none; 3 per cent; number maternity cases, number newborn, 63; number patients radiographed, 255; number radiographs, 375; number Roentgen ray treatments, 661; number fluoroscopic examinations, 108; number deaths, 33; number autopsies, 22.

Rooted to the Spot.

"Our faith in the official pronouncements of 1920 is unaffected by the result of the election of that year. We stand in our very tracks, just where we were, when the votes were counted,"—James M. Cox's speech at Dayton.

Yes, looking backward like Lot's wife, and in danger of being petrified in that position, as she was.—Portland Oregonian.

Another Victory for Machinery.

From Lyons, France, comes the report that a machine has been developed for making raised embroidery in gold and silver. It is stated that

the stitch is a copy of an ancient form of embroidery and gives an impression of handwork, and is also the

first machine that has been successful in using the metallic thread. It is stated that the machine is the re-

sult of seven years of study, and that the results are very satisfactory. —Scientific American.



There is constant danger in an oily skin

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GOOD DEMAND HOLDS BUTTER PRICE FIRM DURING PAST WEEK

Stocks Barely Able to Meet Demands Made Upon them by the Buyers

CHICAGO, Ill.—The factor principally responsible for the firm condition of the butter market and the advance in prices during the week ending March 18 was an excellent continuing demand, according to the weekly report of the United States bureau of markets. For some weeks the demand has been good enough to take care of the current receipts and also good sized blocks of storage butter supplies seemed sufficient, and any attempt to push prices higher was met with few offerings.

During the week, however, stocks began to clear better. Demand was improved to such an extent that the receipts of the larger markets faced a shortage of butter and began raising their asking prices but this failed to check the demand and all week stocks were barely sufficient to take care of the buyers' needs. The firmer condition was general on all four of the principal markets.

All grades of both fresh and storage butter shared in the better demand and all showed advances over the prices ruling early in the week. Fancy butter was the first to clean up and when this run short buyers turned to the lower grades and to storage butter.

The future of the markets, unless influenced by unexpected factors, depends on the increase in production and on the reaction of the consumers to the higher prices.

CHARLES M. LORING, FAMOUS MILL CITY PARK MAN, IS DEAD

Had Much to do With Beautifying of Minneapolis Parks and Drives

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Charles M. Loring, 88, died at his home here Saturday afternoon, after an illness of six months. Mr. Loring, father of the Minneapolis park system, was probably one of the best known men in the northwest.

Mr. Loring came from Portland, Maine, where he was born, to this city in 1860. He organized the North American Telegraph company, of which he was president for twenty years. At one time he was president of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Loring was connected with many organizations having to do with the development of city parks. In 1886 he was appointed president of the National Park and Outdoor Art association.

The Victory memorial drive here was the result of Mr. Loring's activities. In 1919 he placed a \$50,000 fund with a trust company here, the income of which was to be used by the board of park commissioners for perpetual care of the drive, along which trees donated by Mr. Loring, are planted for every Minneapolis soldier who fell in the world war.

Mr. Loring is survived by a widow and one son, A. C. Loring, who is president of a local flour milling company.

WOMAN IS NAMED G. O. P. CHAIRMAN OF GOPHER COUNTY

RENSON, Minn.—Miss Grace W. Foland of Benson presided with such ability over the Swift county republican convention Saturday that she was awarded the permanent chairmanship of the county committee. She is the first woman to be thus honored in Minnesota.

Despite the heated debate that preceded the voting of instructions to the state delegation for Oscar Hallen for the senatorial nomination, and among intricate parliamentary questions necessitating prompt decision, Miss Foland steered the convention to a conclusion in record time.

DODGE TO COMPLETE HIS FIVE-DAY TERM FOR AUTO SPEEDING

Attorneys Drop Efforts to Obtain His Release on Habeas Corpus Proceedings

DETROIT, Mich.—John D. Dodge will complete his five-day sentence in the house of correction, where he was sent Thursday by Judge Bartholomew on a charge of automobile speeding. Counsel for the young millionaire this afternoon abandoned a second effort to obtain his release on a writ of habeas corpus and indicated that as the sentence would expire Monday forenoon, no further effort would be made to obtain it, though appeal from Judge Bartholomew's action.

Dodge Saturday afternoon was sent to the prison hospital with a temperature of 102, the effect apparently of his over-excitement on the prison camp pile, to which he was assigned shortly after breakfast. He attacked the coal pile so strenuously that at noon his hands were covered with blisters and a meal of meat pie and bread failed to attract. Examination by the prison doctor resulted in his being sent to the hospital. It was said a short rest would enable him to take up his arduous labor, perhaps dish-washing, inside the institution.

There will be no work for the state teachers at the house of correction Sunday, chapel services being the only diversion. As he will be released about 10 o'clock Monday forenoon, Dodge probably will have no further work at the institution after Saturday.

PAPER PUBLISHED FOR PRISONERS

The Danish prison authorities, in connection with the introduction of reforms, are considering the idea of publishing a newspaper wholly for prisoners. It is felt that prisoners returning to civil life are considerably handicapped in their lack of knowledge of current events. The paper will cover national news, foreign general news, and possibly have illustrations. In this connection it is interesting to note that it is the intention of the authorities to give suitable moving picture exhibitions in prisons in addition to occasional concert parties and band performances, with an idea of keeping the inmates in touch with the outside world. In Ventonville prison the governor recently began giving summaries of the week's news.

Experience Tells

If you want to know about shoes ask a shoemaker. If you want to know about spats, ask a married man. Experience tells.

Match Figures

It is said that more matches are used in Great Britain than in any other country. They use an average of eight matches each person a day.

THE NUT BROTHERS (Chess & Walt)

YOU SEEM TO BE A BUG ON READING!

YEH, I'M A BOOK-WORM!

Representative Fear of Hudson addressed a very sharp letter to Secretary of the Treasury Mellon following the latter's reiteration of the administration's policy of a sales tax or postponement of the soldiers' bonus bill. The letter attacked the secretary of the treasury for his support of the sales tax proposal. It received wide publicity, marking another episode in Mr. Fear's fight against the sales tax.

Mr. Fear is meeting daily with the ways and means committee of which he is a member. As against the administration's proposal for the soldiers' bonus, Mr. Fear is against any sales tax or postponement. In this fight, he is being given the support of the state's delegation.

Delores Nelson, the eight-year-old daughter of Representative A. J. Nelson of Graysburg, is seriously ill. The child suffered from an ulcerated tooth which poisoned her system. Her condition has necessitated the closest attention both from physicians and her parents.

Representative Lampert of Oshkosh, also fell ill and was forced to go to a hospital for a minor operation. His return within a week or two is anticipated.

Representative Classen of Oconto has again returned to Washington after a long absence. Mr. Classen, whose health has not been very good, will not run for re-election.

EAU CLAIRE PLANT BURNS

EAU CLAIRE, Wis.—This plant of the Northwestern Steel and Iron Works here Saturday sustained a fire loss estimated at \$200,000, partly covered by insurance. The buildings destroyed included the machine shop, stock room, office building and warehouse.

The fire started in the shipping room supposedly from an overheated stove.

Balloons For Golfers

Toy balloons for golfers are not for the benefit of those who find the regulation ball too small to hit; they are floated over the tees to guide golfers unfamiliar with the course.

ILLINOIS CARRIES OFF THE HONORS IN INDOOR TRACK MEET

Coach Gill's Team Captures Five Firsts and Places in All the Events

EVANSTON, Ill.—Displaying the characteristic versatility of Coach Gill's track aggregations, Illinois captured the twelfth annual indoor track meet of the western conference Saturday night at Patton gymnasium by placing in every event and winning five firsts.

The meet developed into almost a dual contest between Illinois and the other eight conference schools, Indiana having no entries. The orange and blue men ran up a total of 44 points, with Wisconsin a bad second, with 22, 11-21 and the rest trailing far behind.

Two indoor records fell, both going to the Illinois and discharging marks held by former Illinois men.

Wharton, led a trio of Illinois runners in the two-mile race, cutting two seconds from the record of Mike Mason, the Illinois distance star of six years ago. He ran the distance in 14 minutes 41.4 seconds, and was closely followed by Swanson and Scott, his teammates, while Purcell, the Purdue distance star, came in fourth.

Yates, also of Illinois, earned the other record in a fast half, lowering the indoor record to 1:58.25.

The bar of the pole vault went to 12 feet, 11 inches, with Merriek of Wisconsin and Lantowski of Michigan tied for first, their efforts at a higher mark keeping the crowd long after the other events were over.

VACATION IS OVER AND PRESIDENT IS RETURNING TO WORK

Executive Refreshed and Rested After Ten-day Outing in Florida

ON BOARD PRESIDENT HARDING'S SPECIAL TRAIN.—By The Associated Press.—The vacation trip of President Harding was ended Saturday and the chief executive and Mrs. Harding are enroute to Washington where their special train is due Sunday afternoon.

The president was in a jovial mood as he boarded the train at St. Augustine. Others on the train are Secretary and Mrs. Weeks, Attorney General Daugherty, Under Secretary Alton, Brigadier General Sawyer and Secretary Christian.

The president spent the morning of his last vacation in Florida on the golf links.

The executive is relaxed and feels refreshed and rested and ready to tackle the affairs which await his return. Ideal weather marked the vacation period.

Administration officials with the party expect the lunatic situation in the house and the threatened coal strike to be among the first subjects to be taken up by Mr. Harding when he arrives in Washington.

DENY REPORT THAT BRITAIN HAD ASKED JAP AID IN INDIA

India Society in U. S. Claims Military Help Was Sought in Case of Uprising

WASHINGTON.—An announcement was made Saturday by the American commission to promote self-government in India that Great Britain under the terms of the Anglo-Japanese alliance had asked Japan for military aid in the "passive revolutionary movement in India leads to a general uprising" while at the same time the statement was denied by the Japanese embassy.

The statement of the India society was based upon confidential sources in Tokyo and London, while the embassy statement declared that the report was "absolutely discredited in Japanese official quarters in Washington."

The Anglo-Japanese alliance, the embassy asserted, contains no clause, either express or implied, providing for Japanese intervention in the event of a domestic trouble in India.

The leaders of the Kokumintai, or people's party in Japan, the American commission said, have "warned" the government that they will oppose any move to send Japanese troops or ships to India.

JURY INCOMPLETE AT END OF FIRST WEEK OF ARBUCKLE TRIAL

New Panel Ordered into Court for Monday for Selection of Alternate

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal.—The closing of the first week in the third trial of a manslaughter charge against Roscoe C. (Fatty) Arbuckle Saturday found court and counsel still busy at jury selection. The regular jury was finally selected and sworn Thursday, but the choosing of two alternates not only necessitated the examination of a number of other witnesses, but exhausted the panel of 65 called for interrogation.

The first alternate was selected quickly after the opening of Saturday's session, but the remaining talesmen either had opinions regarding the defendant's guilt or innocence, or were subjected to peremptory challenges. A new panel was ordered into court for Monday and hope expressed that the second alternate would be selected quickly and testimony taking be well on its way before the morning session ends.

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Senators voted. Thus it will be seen that the outcome is still in doubt.

Merlin Hall of Black River Falls has announced his candidacy for congress in the seventh congressional district, in opposition to congressman Joseph Beck. Mr. Hall is a farmer and newspaper man, and at present publishes an agricultural journal. He has served terms as speaker of the assembly and secretary of state, and has twice been a candidate for governor. Probably he represents as formidable opposition as congressman Beck can encounter.

William J. Morgan, attorney general, is expected to become a candidate of the governor in opposition to Governor John J. Blaine. It is presumed that he will make his record as a "trust buster" his issue. The Attorney general has brought a number of actions against concerns alleged to be operating in restraint of trade, and already one group, thought dealing in leather, has come into court and confessed judgment. Friends of Mr. Morgan say that his administration of office as attorney general contrasts so favorably with that of Governor Blaine as to afford him fair prospects of success.

Fire losses of the United States in 1929 was \$200,000,000.

Obituary

MRS. GEORGE HAGEMAN

Word has been received here of the death in Minneapolis of Mrs. George Hageman, formerly a resident of La Crosse. The body will be brought to this city for burial, arrangements of the funeral to be made later.

MRS. MARTHA SORENSON

Mrs. Martha Sorenson, wife of Martin Sorenson, 1015 North Nineteenth street, died Saturday at a local hospital death being due to a complication of diseases. Mrs. Sorenson, who has been a resident of La Crosse for forty years, was 73 years of age. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons, Carl and Alfred Sorenson, of La Crosse; three sisters, Mrs. Gas Johnson and Mrs. Carrie Johnson, of La Crosse, and Mrs. Lena Thompson, of Lucky Strike, Alberta; Canada; one brother, Ole Knudsen, Mosinee, Wis., and six grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

NAPOLEON'S CRUMBLING TOMB

The original tomb of Napoleon at St. Helena has fallen into a state of disrepair since the body was removed in state to the Invalides in Paris eighty-one years ago, according to a letter received from a recent visitor to that remote island. "I walked the five and one-half miles uphill to Longwood, Napoleon's old home," the writer says, and inspected his much-neglected tomb, which is down in a deep corner of a deep valley—just a slab covered with dirty white-wash—no inscription whatever. The grass around was unkempt, and surrounded by a circle, about twenty paces in diameter, of tall trees, and there was nothing anywhere to tell the visitor when the body was removed or to whom the old tomb belonged.

ORGANIZE LIVESTOCK BOARD

CHICAGO, Ill.—A National Livestock and meat board, representing all groups in the livestock and meat industry and designed for the dissemination of correct information concerning food values will be formed immediately, it was announced Saturday by Everett Brown, president of the National Livestock exchange.

BREAKS TRACK RECORD

BUFALO, N. Y.—But Cutler, the "flying parson," and Captain of the Boston A. A. track team, broke the indoor and outdoor world records for the 1,000-yard run here Saturday night at indoor games at the 17th regiment armory. Cutler's time for the distance was 2:17.

A Delaware minister who split his marriage fees with a taxi driver who mistook business for fun has been dismissed from the church.

HIGH MARK SET UP BY DEGEN BROTHERS STILL HOLDS GOOD

TOLEDO, O.—The 1,257 mark set by the Degen brothers of Buffalo in the two-men event and the American Bowling Congress record score of 729 made by W. Lundgren of Chicago, proved too high again Saturday in the tournament here.

A. Lea, Chicago, collected 600 pins Saturday for third place in the standing in the individuals' division and went into the lead of the all-events class with 1,888 for his nine games. Bowling with Kollogg, Chicago, Lea, added materially in collecting a 1,232 team score which sent the pair into tenth place.

VACATION IS OVER AND PRESIDENT IS RETURNING TO WORK

Executive Refreshed and Rested After Ten-day Outing in Florida

ON BOARD PRESIDENT HARDING'S SPECIAL TRAIN.—By The Associated Press.—The vacation trip of President Harding was ended Saturday and the chief executive and Mrs. Harding are enroute to Washington where their special train is due Sunday afternoon.

The president was in a jovial mood as he boarded the train at St. Augustine. Others on the train are Secretary and Mrs. Weeks, Attorney General Daugherty, Under Secretary Alton, Brigadier General Sawyer and Secretary Christian.

The president spent the morning of his last vacation in Florida on the golf links.

The executive is relaxed and feels refreshed and rested and ready to tackle the affairs which await his return. Ideal weather marked the vacation period.

Administration officials with the party expect the lunatic situation in the house and the threatened coal strike to be among the first subjects to be taken up by Mr. Harding when he arrives in Washington.

RAIN AND SLEET FALLING OVER THE NORTHWEST STATES

Breaking of Trees and Wires Reported From Wisconsin and Minnesota

ST. PAUL, Minn.—Rain and sleet which commenced falling Friday afternoon, continued in the northwest Saturday night from Lake Superior to Aberdeen, S. D. North of that line snow was recorded in Minnesota, Durbith and Mesaba iron range points, getting ten inches. Northern Wisconsin had snow, rain and sleet.

Breaking down of trees and electric wires, under their burden of ice, resulting from sleet, was noted all over the territory affected.

Morris and Glenwood, sent in reports of rain, sleet and a drizzle, with branches of trees and wires giving away. Duluth reported ten inches of snow during the day, with rain falling at a late hour. Winona, Mankato and other southern Minnesota cities were visited by sleet and rain, the down-fall being very severe at Winona and points along the Mississippi river, as far as La Crosse, Wis.

In South Dakota, Aberdeen reported a "sleet mist," with the surface covered with ice. North Dakota generally had cloudy weather. Superior and Eau Claire, Wis., recorded rain and sleet.

Communication by telegraph and telephone was crippled in all directions, especially toward the south and east.

No serious delay was reported by railroads.

DIVORCES HUSBAND TO LEAVE HIM FREE TO WED ANOTHER

Denver Woman Obtains Decree to Give Husband's Name to Illegitimate Children

DENVER, Col.—So that her husband's soul-mate and the latter's two love babies might exchange the stigma of illegitimacy for a name and respectability, Mrs. Grace Jarrar Stoffel, legal wife of George Stoffel, proprietor of a local garage, obtained Saturday a preliminary decree of divorce.

When her final decree is granted six months from now Mrs. Stoffel says, her husband will be free to marry "the other woman," and thereby will be able to gain a name for the woman and the two children she has borne Stoffel in the last four years.

Mrs. Stoffel will stop completely out of the triangle which has disturbed the harmony of her household for several years.

The domestic affairs of the Stoffels were aired in juvenile court in August, 1921, when Miss Nellie Phillips, 25, complained to the court that Mrs. Stoffel was seeking to gain possession of the two children which she had borne Mrs. Stoffel's husband.

Juvenile court officials, investigating, found Stoffel had been living with his wife and also for four years had maintained a second establishment in this city for Miss Phillips and his two children. Stoffel, who is 35, divided his time, both admitted, between them.

SENATE VOTES FUNDS FOR CROSS-COUNTRY AIR MAIL ROUTES

WASHINGTON.—The senate Saturday supported its appropriations committee in inserting in the annual postoffice appropriation bill an item of \$1,000,000 for continuation of the New York-San Francisco air mail routes. Such an appropriation failed in the house.

The measure was taken up by the senate late in the day and only slight progress was made before adjournment.

Chats With Your Gas Man

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"TALE OF A TUMMY" TOLD COUNTY PUPILS IN HEALTH CAMPAIGN

Story Taken from "The Diary of a Stomach" Read by Local School Children

EVER hear "The Tale of a Tummy?" It's one of the most interesting stories now being told to the school children of La Crosse county in connection with the health work which has been in progress since last October, under the direction of Elsie Burkhardt, county nurse.

"We try to present these health rules in as interesting a way as possible to the children and to the parents who attend the parent-teacher meeting," said Miss Burkhardt. "That is one of the easiest and quickest ways of interesting them. They seem to understand and remember the points which we seek to make plain if some fundamental health rule is presented in an attractive story form."

"An excellent example of this may be found in the following 'Tale of a Tummy,' taken from 'The Diary of a Stomach,' and published in the American Medical Journal:

A. M.—Oh dear! Another warm day. Wonder if I'll be abused as I was yesterday. If I am, I'm going to strike. Just disposed of a half-chewed breakfast. We ran for a train which meant I was jiggled about and so tired that it took me twice as long to do my work. Hope she gives me an hour or two of complete rest before anything more comes my way.

10:30—Two glasses of ice water have just arrived. It will take all the energy I can pump up in the next hour to warm me up to normal again.

10:50—Half-chewed breakfast did not satisfy her and she has brought some peanuts and started again.

12:00—Peanuts have been drifting along steadily ever since. Think she has finished them though.

P. M.—12:30—Decided she wasn't hungry, and instead of a good solid dinner sent me down a cold egg-nog heavy with chocolate. Could have managed it all right if it hadn't been so unappetizingly cold, but that made it difficult to deal with.

1:10—More ice water.

1:30—Was mistaken about peanuts; she has found another handful at the bottom of her vanity bag, and now I am getting them again.

2:05—More ice water.

3:10—She has been lifting some heavy books, and as usual used my muscles instead of her arm muscles. You see she's never had any proper physical education—soft, flabby, slovenly sort. Tired me almost as much as a six course dinner.

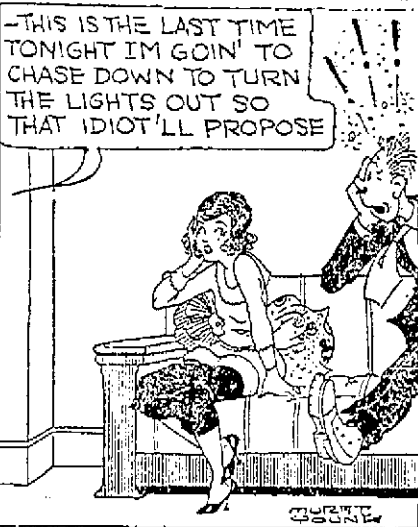
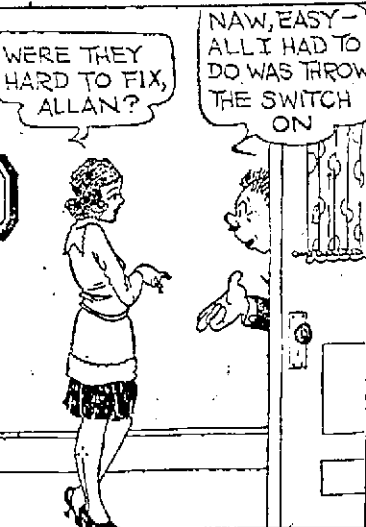
3:30—A friend has brought us a box of caramels, and she has started right in on them.

4:30—Have received something like a half-pound of caramels. Just heard her say, "Oh dear, I don't feel a bit well. The milk in that egg-nog must have been sour."

5:20—We played a set of tennis before dinner, and I am all tired out and a lot of work to do.

8:50—We are invited to have a soda before going home. Had a lemon phosphate and then had to run for

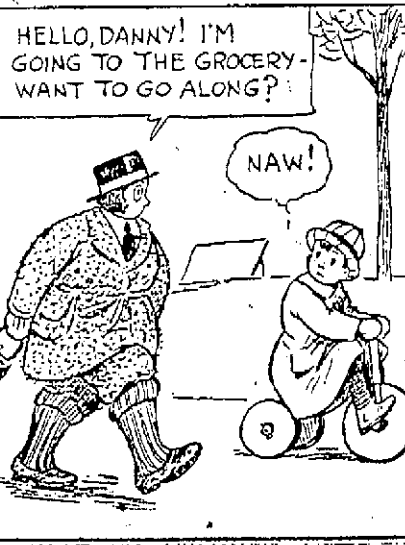
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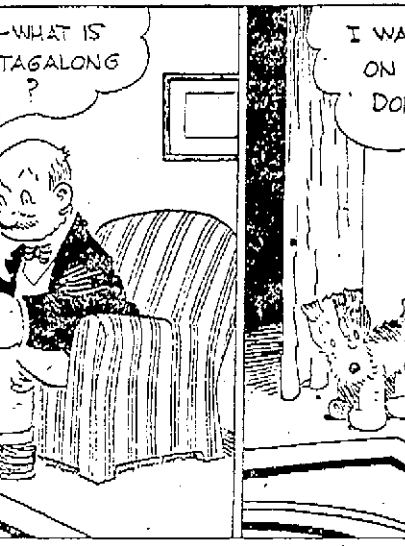
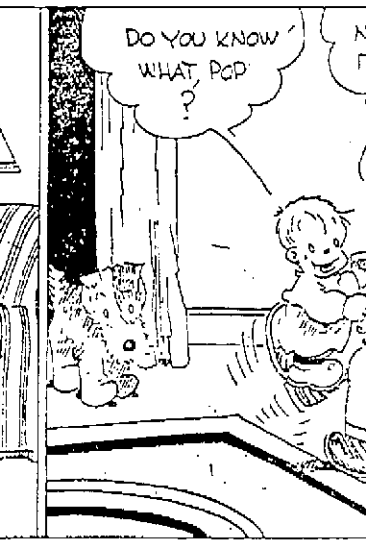
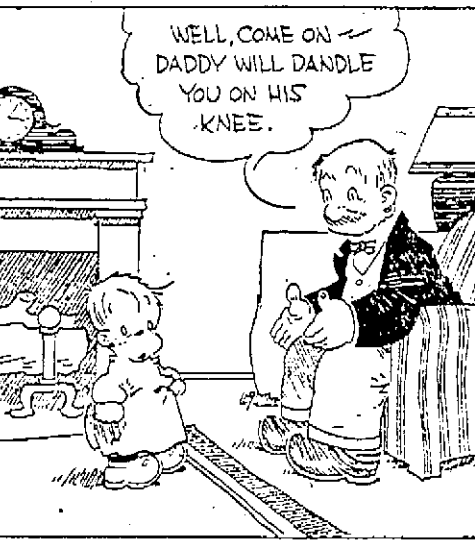
THE DUFFS



BY ALLMAN

DANNY FORMS HIS OWN OPINION

FRECKLES



BY BLOSSER

TAG IS HARD TO PLEASE

drank two glasses. I tried to keep the tea and the college ice separate but they mixed in spite of me. I go on strike!

8:30—Have sent back the college

ice and food.

8:40—Returned the blueberries.

8:45—And the peanuts.

9:00—Can't get the doctor.

9:17—Doctor found at the movies.

7:00—Fried potatoes, cucumbers, seat outfit, catsup, cookies, and canned blueberries. What do you know about that?

7:45—We are strolling down to the corner for a pineapple walnut college ice.

8:20—Got home and found somebody had made some hot tea. She

Mother thinks it is a weak stomach she inherited from her father.

10:45—Doctor says it is a bilious temperament. Good night!

Why He Asked.
Jerry—"See any change in me?"
Eudiles—"No, why?"
Jerry—"Just swallowed a cent."

THOUSANDS WEIGH EACH WEEK ON THE AUTOMATIC SCALE

Many Humorous Incidents are Observed in Front of the Bodega Club

That nearly everyone is interested in how much he or she weighs is evident from the large number of persons who each day stop to weigh themselves on the new automatic scales installed in front of the Bodega club, 120 South Fourth street, by J. J. Freas.

During the first six days that it was in operation nearly 3000 persons or an average of close to 1500 per day were weighed upon it according to the automatic counter which is attached to the machine.

Fat and thin, tall and short, men and women and children have been weighed on the scale. The device makes an impartial appeal to all classes who utilize it during every hour of the day or night. Many people make it a daily habit of using the scales, usually after lunch to see how much they gained or lost in weight during the 24 hours.

To the women goes the distinction of protesting against the decisions rendered by the scales. The plump ones, particularly, will step on the device when no one is watching and will protest that the scales are not correct. Very few complaints are heard from the men, who usually take the scales in good grace. The scales are absolutely correct, functioning entirely by balance and being adjusted every week.

Many humorous incidents are seen by those who have watched the various patrons of the scales. Both men and women have been seen to weigh themselves while wearing their overcoats and afterwards removing their coats to suspend them over their arms while the second test is being made. Almost invariably the fact that the scales register the same weight both times seems to puzzle them, and they leave with the puzzle still unsolved.

Paris War Library.

Over 100,000 volumes and almost as many pamphlets, etc., have been collected by the French government, and a building will be erected having five miles of shelving. The future historian will probably die in the first mile. The collection of manuscripts, photographs and war records is appalling as to numbers, and there seems to be no limit to the gifts of collectors. In this country Princeton university and the University of California are especially strong on war material.—Scientific American.

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DELPHIAN SOCIETY DISCUSSES ATHENS AT RECENT MEETING

The Kiwanis Club Holds Weekly Luncheon at Hotel Sidney on Wednesday

SPARTA, Wis., March 18 (Special)—The Delphian Society held its regular meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. W. Barney on Court street. The topic for discussion was Athens, paying particular attention to the Greek struggle with Persia, and the Athenian Empire and the subject of Greek art.

Miss Harriet Hudson was the leader; the topics were discussed by Messdames Holden, Farrington, H. W. Barney, and Howard Teasdale and the Misses Bertha Paulson, Mary Morrow and Margaret Peacock. A round table followed. The club voted to take up the study of the third and the Odyssey in connection with its work. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. N. A. Farrington, March 27. The topic will be "The Cause of the Peloponnesian War."

The Kiwanis club held its weekly luncheon in the Hotel Sidney on Wednesday. A large attendance was in evidence, and shows the interest being taken in this organization. The speaker for the day talked on the care and treatment to be given disabled trees and told how many of the effects of the recent storm on the fruit and shade trees may be overcome. The male chorus sang, and Prof. James R. Kerr of La Crosse, a guest at the meeting, sang two selections in his usual pleasing manner. He was accompanied by Mrs. Will R. Crosby.

The Bridge club met Wednesday with Mrs. Otto Bell.

Mrs. Kent Dickinson entertained The Entre Nous on Tuesday at her home.

The Bon Kensington club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. Machus, North L. street.

The Norwegian Lutheran Aid Society met Thursday with Mrs. Fred Youngman.

A. J. Wash went to Minneapolis Thursday to attend a meeting of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts entertained at cards Thursday evening. Mrs. Cook entertained the Alexandrians on Tuesday at her home on Central Ave.

The Advance club will meet next Tuesday evening with Miss Alice Lawson.

Mrs. Hutchinson entertained the Corcoran on Tuesday.

March 17, St. John's Guild was entertained by Miss Edna Davis at the home of Mrs. Howard Teasdale.

The H. H. M. club met Wednesday with Mrs. Will Benedict at her home on North Court street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Baldwin entertained a company of friends at cards, Thursday evening at the home of the former.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Doten and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Noren entertained at evening parties, Wednesday and Friday evenings, at the Noren home on Austin street.

Ralph Rhyme was pleasantly surprised by a company of friends and relatives who gathered at his home Saturday evening to help him celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. T. P. Abel was given a pleasant surprise Monday evening by a few friends in honor of her birthday. Another birthday surprise party was given for Miss Ellen Rich Thursday evening. A group of girl friends made the occasion happy for her.

The ladies of the Eastern Star held a food sale Saturday, at the Corner Drug store.

The district meeting of the I. O. O. F. was held at La Crosse March 16. The Sparta Degree Staff put on the initi-

INDIAN CHIEF AND ARTIST WED



Chief Red Wing and his bride, who was Miss Marian Stehlik, a New York fashion artist. The chief is a native of the Ojibway Tribe of Chippewa Falls, Kan.

story work and a large number from Women's Foreign Missionary Society Sparta attended. This district includes the lodges in La Crosse, Tomahawk, Fountain City and Sparta. Last Saturday and Sunday, delegates to the District Rally of the Young were present from Elroy, Reedsburg

and Sparta. Twenty delegates from Sparta attended. In the district preliminary contest which took place in the evening, Elroya Hanev won first place and Leona Gibson, third place. The two ladies are both from Sparta. Supper was served Saturday night in the M. E. church and Sunday the delegates attended the services in a body. The Parent-Teachers meeting held at the Ward school Thursday was the largest in attendance of any held thus far this season. Instructive papers and interesting discussions made the time pass pleasantly, and was also of much educational value.

Word has been received here by friends that Leona Wilson, formerly of Sparta with a partner, has bought the Westby Inn, store at Baker, Montana, from J. R. Westby, also, a former resident of Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan James were pleasantly surprised Monday evening when fifteen friends from Reedsburg came in to help Mr. James celebrate his birthday. It was a pleasant occasion.

Russia was the general topic for the Athens Program last Thursday night. Russian Music—Thelma Melby, Lila Sholes, Julia Wandschneider, Starr, "Comrades," Mazie Brooks. Life of the late Czar's family, Gladys Francis, Story, "Dreams," Marion Barnett. Russian National Hymn—Sextette. Piano—Ruth Ascott.

Election of officers for the Jefferson resulted as follows: president, Jacob Reicks; vice-president, Alvin Watson; second vice-president, Howard Preston; secretary, Oscar Nielson; treasurer, John Ascott; program committee, Seelye Gray, Philip Stotzer and Claude Strahl.

At the close of school Monday, the Spartan staff put on a program for the purpose of boosting the Spartan, the high school magazine. Snappy talks were given by Hugh Williams, Harold Belden, Frances Williams, Fred Lantz and Jacob Reicks. Several clever songs pertaining to the Spartan were sung by the Boys' Glee Club and the Girls' Sextette.

One of the finest numbers on the program was given Tuesday evening in the Methodist church.

Myra Casterline Smith, a dramatic reader, presented the play "Happiness" in a wonderfully artistic way. She ranks as one of the six best dramatic readers in the United States and deserves the distinction. The entertainment was one of real pleasure and the manner in which each character was represented was wonderful. The last number of the Sparta-Lecum course will be given in the Armory, March 20, by the Leior Opera Company of Chicago. A rare musical treat is expected.

The regular monthly meeting of the Modern Woodmen was held Thursday night in the W.C.T.U. hall. Hereafter the Camp will meet on the first and third Thursday evenings in each month in the W.C.T.U. hall.

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has been drawn up in legal form and site you may desire. Several such given by the purchaser, J. C. Penn, houses have been recently imported to R. C. Cheatham, from whom he has borrowed the 50 cents when the horse of this character are offered for sale was knocked down to him at auction, or are to be torn down to make room for some modern improvement, this mortgage reads: "One Arab horse, down carefully preserving all the essential features. When a buyer is found it is shipped for erection on the new location."

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"See, Florence, Peter bought a Horton Electric Washing Machine for me, and oh, my! you have no idea the comfort I got out of it doing washing this week, and just look at that basket of clothes. Did you ever see anything so nice and clean, and you know I'm not tired a bit!"

There are lots of women anxious to have a Horton Electric Washing Machine. They only cost \$85.00.

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There is no sharing of real leadership. Since it was brought out more than six years ago, the Hudson Super-Six has led fine car sales without interruption.

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Today Hudson offers the finest Super-Six ever built. That is a broad declaration, for past Super-Sixes have in every way deserved the wonderful position they won.

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Perhaps you will agree, too, that at \$1695 it is the greatest automobile value ever offered.

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MOTORISTS WARNED TO BE ON ALERT FOR SPRING FEVER GERM

Drivers of Autos in Storage all
Winter are Held Easiest
"Prey" of New "Disease"

S. L. MEISTER GIVES WARNING
OF THE LA CROSSE AUTO CLUB

Most Acute Symptom of the
New "Malady" is Speeding

Now is the time for La Crosse
motorists to inoculate themselves
against "motorists' spring fever."

That is the warning issued to
automobileists by Seymour L. Meister,
secretary of the La Crosse Automobile
Club on Saturday. With cars
coming out of winter storage at the
rate of scores a week, drivers are
particularly liable to the new disease,
Mr. Meister said, as the germs ac-
tuate in large quantities in every
stored car in the winter months.

Speeding Acute Symptom.
Speeding is the most acute sym-
ptom of motorists' spring fever, the
club secretary said. It is caused,
he said, by

Spring pep, generated by blue
skies and soft airs, after the
dark and dismal winter; the
forgetfulness of the fact that the
man whose gas buggy has been in
the garage since late in the fall
forgets how fast she'll go when
he steps on her; good roads,
offering the first opportunity
for one to try his car's
abilities after a long, slippery
spell, followed by another long
spell of slush and unpleasant-
ness.

April rapidly approaching, is the
month when more speeders get in
their deadly work than any other
month, according to Mr. Meister.
It was the same last year and the year
before. Mr. Meister asks that the
brakes be put on this year. When
the bright bluebird flits from post
to post and urge to do likewise rises
in the "luzum" of the auto driver,
who innocently is a swallow and
skims along the road until some vol-
unteer grabs his number and drags
him clapping into court.

First Aid for Victims.

"A countrywide campaign against
this disease has been waged by the
La Crosse Automobile club," said Mr.
Meister. "We have told many persons
how fast a car will go when the sap
is creeping upon its old steering post
in the gay springtime."

It is probable that the vigilance
committee that was organized last
year will be revived again this sea-
son to be ready to administer first
aid to the sufferer as well as to pre-
vent the neighborhood against a
spread of the ailment.

Ready for the Penalty

Landlord—"You didn't pay the
rent for last month."
Tenant—"No? Well, I suppose
you'll hold me to your agreement."

Landlord—"Agreement! What
agreement?"

Tenant—"Why, when I rented, you
said I must pay in advance or not at
all."—Detroit Free Press.

Game to the Last.

An editor was dying, but when the
doctor bent over, placed his ear on
his breast, and said, "Poor man. Cir-
culation almost gone," the dying ed-
itor shouted: "You're a liar! We have
the largest circulation in the coun-
try!"

Degrees.

Said a friend to the proud father
of a college graduate who had just
been awarded an A. M. degree:
"I suppose Robert will be looking
for a Ph. D. next."

"No. He will be looking for a
J. O. D."—Life.

Flying Saves Complexion.
Flying is said to be popular with
English women traveling to Paris
because it saves their complexions
from the dust of train journeys.

HUNTING BIG GAME IN AFRICA IS SUBJECT OF AKELEY LECTURE MONDAY

Local sportsmen and lovers of ani-
mal life are looking forward to the
lecture next Monday evening by Carl
Akeley on "Hunting Big Game in
Africa." This is the closing number
of the Normal Lecture Course for the
present season.

Mr. Akeley is a very remarkable
man. For years he was connected
with the Chicago Museum, and his
famous "Four Seasons" group of
mounted deer attracts wide attention.
For several years he has been in New
York City with the American Museum
and he is now planning his much dis-
cussed "African Hall," which will
perpetuate the first disappearing
species of animal life in Africa. Mr.
Akeley has been recently chosen to
do the Roosevelt Memorial, a distin-
guished honor for the noted sculptor.
It was Mr. Akeley who first made
the mounting of animals an art and
a science. It was Mr. Akeley also
who invented the "cement gun" and
gave to the world the first defini-
tive idea of the concrete ship—
which became a reality a year or so
ago.

As the title of the lecture indicates,
Mr. Akeley's story will deal with his
personal experiences in the African
jungles. In his efforts to "kill" the
fierce animals of those regions, either
with gun or with camera, there were

many thrilling experiences, which
will be brought home to the audience



CARL AKELEY

through the medium of the slides and
moving picture films that will be
shown.

Public School News

The Elson Art exhibit, which was
put on by the Hogan and vocational
school faculties, was a success both
educationally and financially. A
splendid school spirit was displayed
by the boys and girls in selling tick-
ets. Mr. Wolff's machine shop boys
sold between thirteen and fourteen
dollars worth of art exhibit tickets.
Mary and Rose Ambroz sold any
other four pupils attending vocational
classes.

Miss Louise Knutson and Mrs. E.
O. Forsyth's solos were greatly ap-
preciated by those attending the exhibit.

The office and commercial depart-
ments of the vocational school are
now located on the second floor of the
Yeoman hall. The office telephone
number is 2200.

All vocational evening school class-
es are progressing excellently. Just
at present more pupils are needed to
fill the swimming and military class-
es. Anyone wishing to join either of
these two classes should call at the
high school building some Tuesday
evening.

Mrs. A. M. Tillman has the honor
of being the second woman member
of a board of industrial education in
the state of Wisconsin. Mrs. Tillman
was appointed to fill the vacancy
caused by the resignation of Mr. L. F.
Easton.

Education

"To secure the healthy growth and
the harmonious development of the
powers of the individual so that he
may be the best and do the most of
which he is capable."

Someone has aptly expressed the
mission of the public school in the
above manner. To secure the healthy
growth and the harmonious develop-
ment involves at least three major
problems, namely: mental growth
and development, physical growth and
development, and character or moral
growth and development. All are
closely associated, and the maximum
efficiency in all cases depends upon
the co-operation of students, teachers
and parents.

The public schools may be consid-
ered as an investment on the part of
the city in the education of its youth.

CLARK'S CRUISES BY C. P. K. STEAMERS
Clark's 2nd Cruise, January 23, 1923
ROUND THE WORLD
Superb SS "EMPEROR OF FRANCE"
1981 Gross Tons, Specially Chartered
6 MONTHS CRUISE, \$1000 and up
Including Hotels, Food, Drives, Guides, etc.

Clark's 19th Cruise, February 3
TO THE MEDITERRANEAN
Sumptuous SS "EMPEROR OF SCOTLAND"
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66 DAYS CRUISE, \$500 and up
Including Hotels, Food, Drives, Guides, etc.
19 days Egypt, Palestine, Spain, Italy, Greece, etc.
Europe stop-overs allowed on both cruises.
Europe and Persian Play Parties, \$400 up
Frank C. Clark, Times Building, New York.

March RUG and FURNITURE Sale

A yearly event that is supreme in value-giving. This event starts now and continues all month.

CONGOLEUM RUGS

9x15—\$20.25	\$16.20
Rugs, special	
9x12—\$16.20	\$12.96
Rugs, special	
9x10-6—\$14.15	\$11.32
Rugs, special	
9x9—\$12.15 Rugs,	\$9.72
special at	
7 1/2 x 9—\$10.10	\$8.08
Rugs, special	
6x9—\$8.10 Rugs,	\$6.48
special at	

LINOLEUM RUGS

9x12—\$18.75	\$15.00
Rugs, special	
9x10-6—\$16.25	\$13.00
Rugs, special	
7-6x9—\$12.95	\$10.36
Rugs, special	
6x9—\$9.75 Rugs,	\$7.60
special at	

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food. It is just as important that
children of school age secure suffi-
cient sleep (from nine to twelve hours
daily). Many failures in school can
be traced back to a lack of sufficient
sleep which prevents healthy growth
and harmonious development of the
mind and body.

Closely associated with mind and
physical development is character de-
velopment. The two cannot be de-
veloped to the neglect of the third;
neither can the third be developed to
the neglect of the other two.

Believing that the success of an or-
ganization depends upon its morale,
an attempt will be made during the
next few weeks on part of the faculty
of the public schools to increase the
development of this factor through
the presentation, by means of a series
of lesson plans to students, the value
of the various elements involved in
character building. For the next eight
weeks, each lesson will be presented
each week as follows: First, home
and school responsibility; second, honesty
and the truth; third, good manners
and personal habits; fourth, the
square deal; fifth, courage; sixth, loy-
alty; seventh, service; eighth, work.

A brief summary of the lesson as
prepared and presented each week
will appear in this column.

The Washburn school was awarded
the first prize given by the Commu-
nity Council for the best collection of
posters for milk week.

A P. T. A. meeting of the Wash-
burn school will be held at the
Chamber of Commerce on Thursday
evening, March 22. This meeting will
be the annual "father's night." In-
stead of the usual program, Mr. Bur-
gess will give a demonstration with
one of the Boy Scout troops of the
city. This meeting will also be the
eighth anniversary of the organiza-
tion of the association.

New Memory System
"How is it you have such a good
memory, Norma?" her mistress in-
quired.

"Well, mum, I'll tell you. Since we
childhood never a lie have I told, and
when ye don't have to beixin yer
memory to be rememberin' what ye
told this one or that, or how ye ex-
plained this or that, share ye don't
overwork it an' it lasts ye good as
new, till ye die."—Christian Advo-
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AGONY FROM LACK OF OXYGEN

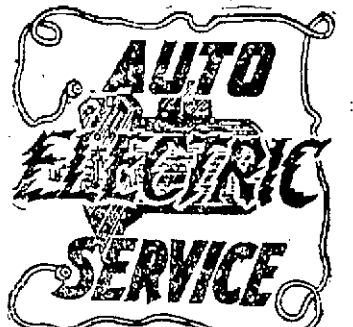
Mountain sickness appears in all
persons with remarkable uniformity
at a height of 10,500 feet, although
some persons are affected at altitudes
of 1000 or 2000 feet lower. Within
a half hour after reaching this point
the traveler finds himself stretched
out on his back, too weak to move
and gasping for air that he cannot
get. There is fever and intense head-
ache and extreme thirst which he
does not seem able to satisfy because
of his inability to stop breathing
while taking a drink if it happens to
be on hand. After awhile the acute
symptoms pass on to a degree.
Mountain sickness has been attrib-
uted to indigestion, heart failure and
anemia, but it has been recently de-
termined that the predominant cause
is the lack of oxygen. In order to
overcome this, tanks of oxygen are
carried with parties endeavoring to
attain heights which are usually out
of reach under ordinary circum-
stances. The failure for the oxygen
supply to a great degree was respon-
sible for the failure of the expedition
to the top of Mount Everest.

Where Bernard Beats Margot
Bernard Shaw says he doesn't
care to visit the United States, he
doesn't have to. The show managers
and publishers send his money over



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to him. Some less fortunate people
in England have to come after theirs.
—Evening Mail.

Her Discovery.
"This living with a genius is a
little trying," said the worried-look-
ing man. "A genius! Didn't know
that you had one in your family."
"Yes, my wife; she's discovered per-
petual emotion."—Stanford Chaparral.

A Grand Rapids woman has a vo-
cabulary of 31,500.



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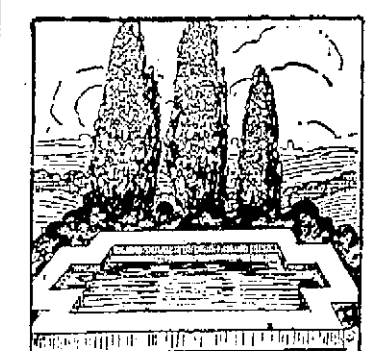
Pie Crust
1 1/2 cups Sifted Pastry Flour
1 teaspoon Salt
1/2 teaspoon Baking Powder
1 cup Mazola
4 tablespoons Cold Water
Sift dry ingredients. Add
water to Mazola and beat
until creamy. Mix quickly
into dry ingredients. Toss
onto slightly floured
board and roll to desired
thickness. Recipe makes
one double-crust pie.

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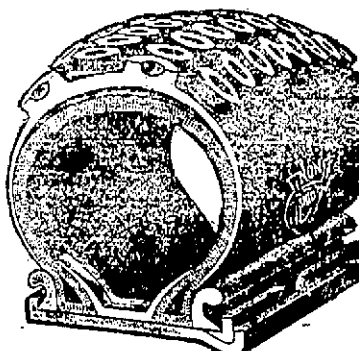
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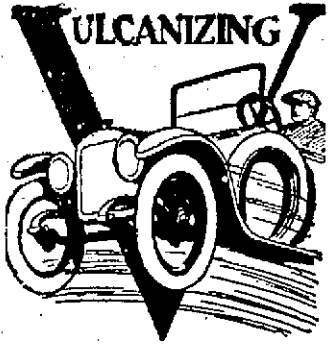
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WE can show you by let-
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order of printing.

HORMEL'S FANCY PATENT FLOUR.
Monday, 49-pound sacks **\$2.25**
for
And you get Stamps, too.

Ask for our Cash Discount Stamps. One stamp with every 10c purchase, a book of 500 stamps worth \$1.00 in cash.

DOERFLINGER'S

The "Montacuties" and Nustad Coffee Company will conduct their demonstrations again Monday.

HALF POUND COCOA FREE
Monday with each pound of NUSTAD'S POINTERS COFFEE at 35c per pound, we give you one-half pound of Cocoa Free of Charge. And you get Stamps, too.



Capes That Fashion Favors

If you "breeze forth" on Easter morning flaunting a new Cape the approval of Fashion awaits you—in fact you will be genuinely pleased with yourself, in one of these famously soft English woolen or domestic fabric Capes, some pleasingly plain and others with cozy scarf collars.

WRAPS—CHOOSE NOW FOR EASTER

Matrons especially enjoying the soft draping of a beautiful Wrap will enjoy wearing one on Easter. Very luxurious ones of every popular fabric Fashion decrees for spring, some plain and some lavishly embroidered and richly lined. In silhouette the two extremes of circularly and rectangularly cut are touched. Coats and Wraps range in prices from **\$10.00** up

WASH DRESSES ARE MAKING THEIR APPEARANCE EARLY THIS YEAR

There is so much comfort and one feels so clean and spic and span in a Wash Dress that we predict an early season this year. Following that prediction we take this occasion to mention just one group of our assortment. Delightful little garments of checked and striped ginghams trimmed with organdies, pique, rick rack braid and cross stitch embroidery. Wash Dresses this year introduce more elaborateness of style, than we have seen in former years and we know that when you see this assortment you will heartily agree with us. Possession will be easy too at **\$2.98** up our prices which range from

HOUSECLEANING TIME WILL SOON BE HERE and that means Aprons.

We are wonderfully well equipped with any style you could want. In this particular group are slipover styles and button on the side front. Made of very good quality gingham, chambrays and percales in plain, checked, striped and dotted patterns, in a wide range of sizes from 18 to 50 and ranging in prices from **98c to \$2.98**

Here's a Special Sale of Aprons

We offer one lot of Aprons for Monday of odds and ends, all good perfect stock, however, made of good percales and ginghams, both plain and fancy. There are all sizes in the assortment and you will be surprised considering quality when we mention Monday's bargain price **98c** of

A MID-MONTH SOAP CLEARANCE

A varied assortment of Peet's White Naphtha, Rub-No-More, Whisley's Linen and N. J. C. White Laundry Soap, while it lasts, per bar **5c**

CLEARANCE OF PRESERVES

We have prided ourselves on having the most complete assortment of Preserves in the city. All pure fruit and sugar, delicious and tasty. WE ARE GOING TO DISPOSE OF IT. Monday the entire stock, nothing reserved, will be offered at per jar **25c**

A few ten pound pails of Grape and **\$1.59** Mammoth Lye, per can **10c**

33c SALE IN THE BASEMENT

No. 1 Galvanized Wash Tubs, drop handles, each **33c**
Good four-sewed Brooms, each **33c**
1 can Metal Glass for Polishing silver, nickel and glass **33c**
10c cans of Climax Wall Paper Cleaner **4 for 33c**
60c bottle of Liquid Veneer for polishing furniture and floors, at **33c**
15c cans of Sanitary Flush Powder for closet bowls, on sale at **3 for 33c**
50c Blue and White Enamel Wash Dish, second largest size **33c**
10c rolls of Crepe Toilet Paper **5 for 33c**
Largest size Wire Hanging Baskets, used for flowers **33c**

The YARD FABRIC SECTION Is Brim Full of New Spring Goods

See the vast assortments in Silks, Dress Goods, Wash Goods, White Goods, Dress Linens and Imported and Domestic Ginghams. All merchandise shown represents quality and our prices are down to rock bottom.

See the New Firshoon Crepes, **\$3.95**

38 inches wide, per yard. They are simply wonderful. An entirely new knitted Silk Dress fabric. Unlike anything ever produced in silks. It is a reversible material having a sheen on both sides (its washable and retains its wonderful lustre and the cost is no greater than other high grade silks. Shows in the new sport colorings. For detailed particulars see them in the Silk Section.

Plain and Novelty Cotton Esponges and Ratines, 30 inches wide, price per yard—**\$1.25 and \$1.50**

This particular weave of cotton dress material is a big factor for summer outing suits, sport coats and sweaters. The color line embraces all the new sport shades, also new novelties. See them in the Wash Goods Section.

Courtland's English Novelty Cotton Voiles For the first time in years have we been able to display this celebrated brand of summer wash fabrics. Shown in a wonderful collection of the wanted stripe and check designs in light and dark color combinations. The ideal material for summer frocks and waists. Priced at per yard—**\$1.50 and \$1.75**

Trelace—the new Wool Knitted Fabric, 54 inches wide, yard **\$5.50**

A new fabric shown for the first time this season. It is as sturdy as tweed, but with a soft brush wool finish. Shown in new color combinations. In demand for lounge jackets, circular capes and straight tailored coats. On display in the Dress Goods Section.



Spring and Summer Underwear For Women

Vests, either Swiss ribbed or plain, at—15c, 19c, 25c, 29c, 35c, 39c, 50c and 59c

Union Suits, low neck, sleeveless, either loose or tight knee, at 39c, 50c, 59c, 69c, 89c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.25 and up.

We have real out-size Vests for women, sizes 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, at 39c up.

HOSIERY

We have the new spring shade of nude in that popular \$1.35 silk stocking for women. Mercerized lisle garter top, high spliced heels, reinforced soles and toes, comes in black and cordovan also. This stocking has the fashion seam down the back and sells at per pair. **\$1.35**

BLANKETS

Plaid Bed Blankets made from selected quality of cotton well napped, clearly toned in blue, pink and grey block patterns, special for Monday at per pair **\$2.39**

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN

Genuine Lockwood B. Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide, made from fine long selected Sea Island cotton, exceptionally well constructed cloth, special for Monday only, per yard **15c**

SHEETS

\$1x90 Bed Sheets, good heavy quality, well finished, splendid value, on sale Monday each **\$1.39** at

BROWN LINEN

36-inch Brown Linen, Irish manufacture, closely woven, constructed of genuine Irish flax, an ideal cloth for napkins, table covers, scarfs, drapes, etc., yard **59c**

Handkerchief Bargains For Monday

Plain White and embroidered corner Handkerchiefs for women and children, at each—**2½c**

This Is a Corset Value You Must Not Miss

Several different styles in new spring back lace corsets, waistline and medium bust models of serviceable high grade materials. A garment you will enjoy wearing and the price for **\$2.39** Monday **\$2.39**

Sale of Clark's Six-Cord Thread

Clark's Best Six-Cord Thread, the best thread made, offered Monday 2 spools for—**11c**

Enameled DISH PANS

Blue on the outside and pure white on the inside; 14 and 17 qt. sizes, large strong handles, Monday while they last, each **59c** Basement.

Cotton Flannel Gloves and Mittens

Some have knitted wrist bands, others have wide open ends; some are fleeced on the outside, others on the inside, Monday while they last, per pair **5c** Men's Department, Main Floor.



Don't Slip Off Your Shoes!

You don't have to slip off your shoes to relieve your feet, because it is not necessary to wear incorrect shoes that cause foot annoyance. Your feet are made to walk on a solid base, and Arch Preserver Shoes (with their built-in arch bridge) give such a base. They make you forget all about your feet—because there can't be any strain on the arch of the foot. And the good styles are all the more charming in these shoes, because your feet are always held erect and trim. Let us show you Arch Preserver Shoes.



Women's Flannel Night Gowns

Monday we will close out several styles of Women's Outing Flannel Night Gowns. These gowns are well made, trimmed with embroidery, novelty braids and hemstitching. Monday while they last **79c**

Ready-to-Wear 2nd Floor.

Children's Bath Robes

Made of soft fleecy eiderdown. Flannel, sleeves, collar and edges overstitched with silk thread; just the thing for little tots. Monday each at **89c**

Ready-to-Wear, 2nd Floor.



Advance Easter Showing

COMMENCING MONDAY, MARCH 20th

Tremendous values that will convince you of the desirability of coming to the Doerflinger Millinery Department to select your Easter Millinery. Our styles are the latest word in Fashion.

La Crosse's Biggest, Best and Busiest Millinery Department, Second Floor.

The Junior Department

Little Boys' Can't Wait to Get Into Tub Suits

Along about April when little boys shed their winter overcoats they think it's also time to put on Tub Suits in place of wool ones and they are about right because it is much easier for mothers if young sons wear clothes that can be tubbed on those warm days when they run out of doors. Crisp suits of heavy striped percales, good quality chambrays, repp, poplin, unbleached muslin and jeans come in boyishly smart, sailor and Oliver Twist styles in sizes from 2½ to 8, at—

\$1.25 to \$4.50

Confirmation---The Occasion for a Little White Frock

It takes a very dainty White Frock to tally with a girl's idea of a proper Confirmation Dress. Your daughter probably has her heart set on something prettier than anything she has ever had, a Frock of Organdie, Voile or Dotted Swiss, all frilly and lace trimmed. Knowing how very particular girls are about their Confirmation Dresses our buyers choose only the very loveliest Frocks for this collection.

DRUGS AND TOILET GOODS

Jap Rose Toilet Soap, per cake	8c	Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 50c tube at	43c
Jardin de Rose Face Powder, 50c box at	45c	Dean's Kidney Pills, 60c box at	49c
Mennen's Talcum Powder, per can	19c	Tanlac, \$1.10 bottle at	89c
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Crumbling Walls of Hospital all that is Left of Historic Post at Prairie du Chien

ORIGINAL POST-FORT SHELBY TAKEN BY BRITISH IN 1812

Taylor Once Commandant With Davis as One of His Lieutenants

PRairie du Chien, Wis.—The women of the D. A. R. of Prairie du Chien have started out to save what is left of the ruins of old Fort Crawford. The organization has secured an option on the property, W. B. Graves of Prairie du Chien owns it, and are at work raising the money to purchase it. If the funds they hope for are forthcoming, they say they will not merely buy and preserve the fort site and its ruins, but attempt to restore the building.

Of the large group of buildings comprising the fort when it was built nearly a hundred years ago, none is left but the crumbling walls of the hospital. All the others have been torn down and the stone carried away for building purposes. Near the hospital ruins is Fort Crawford cemetery where those of the officers and their families who died while at the fort, are buried. The cemetery is government-owned and well cared for.

Captured by British in 1812.

Fort Crawford was the most famous of any of the forts of the Northwest. The original post, Fort Shelby, was built during the War of 1812. But hardly had the little company of American troops taken possession of the fort when a detachment of British and Indians came down the Wisconsin river and laid siege to it. The garrison was forced to surrender and for a year the Union Jack floated over the frontier post and southwestern Wisconsin was a part of the British Empire.

At the close of the War of 1812 the fort was evacuated and shortly after burned down. The Americans built the new one on the same site, naming it Fort Crawford. It was occupied for a number of years but became very unhealthy on account of its low position near the river. In 1828 a new site was chosen a mile south on higher ground and a second larger Fort Crawford created. It is the ruins of this which now are to be preserved.

Many famous men and events are associated with the old fort. Zachary Taylor, afterwards President Taylor, was commandant of it at one time and one of his lieutenants was Jefferson Davis, who fell in love with the Commandant's daughter and married her.

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Reviewed by Margaret H. Smith, University of Wisconsin Library School Student

The Story of Mankind, by Hendrick Van Loon.

A fascinating book that follows history from the earliest time to today, treating of all times and peoples in such a way as to show the progress of mankind. It is written in a conversational manner and so simply that it will be interesting to any age (even adults) but especially to upper grades and high school. The book is worth taking home even if you can look only at the pictures for they are unusually expressive and out of the ordinary. It is illustrated by the author with eight pictures in color and over one hundred drawings and "animated maps." It includes an excellent historical reading list for children.

The Strange Adventures of a Pebble, by Hallam Hawskworth.

An introduction to geology, written in simple and pleasing style for children from eight to ten and even older. Not only the text, but the illustrations also, tell the story of the earth and its structure. It is remarkable for the way it correlates with geology other subjects, such as art, literature, and history. At the end of each chapter is a section entitled "Hide and seek in the library," which is most valuable for stimulating children to further reading along many lines.

The Little Man With One Shoe, by Margery Bailey.

He was a funny shoemaker like his grandfather and with every wooden peg he drove, he told a story, so here are six of his stories which will please the children so much they will wish the shoe had needed a dozen pegs instead of six.

ried her to the great displeasure of the father.

Noted Surgeon There.

The fort surgeon for awhile was Dr. Beaumont. He had with him at the hospital Martin St. Alexis, the Martin St. Alexis of the school of physiologies, who had a bullet hole in

A Day in a Colonial Home, by Della R. Prescott; edited by John Cotton Dana.

A day in the lives of colonial children told in interesting story form and illustrated with pictures of the articles used in their home. This story was written after the building of a colonial kitchen in the Newark Public Library under the direction of Mr. Dana. Explanations for building a similar kitchen are added for the information of teachers.

The Great Guest, by C. B. Hawes.

This sea story of nearly a hundred years ago opens in a New England village, proceeds to Havana and the west coast of Africa, and ends in a shipwreck at the mouth of the River Plate. It is packed with adventure, with conflict between whites and African savages, and is colored with the beginnings of a happy romance. The story lifts the reader out of the routine of modern life and plunges him into the thick of mystery and mad adventure. For older boys and adults.

Days of the Discoverers, by L. Lamprey.

Interestingly told stories of the early explorers of America, taken from most reliable sources and filled with the color of thrilling moments from the time of the Vikings to Captain John Smith. Besides giving new light on such well known explorers as Columbus, the Cabots, and Henry Hudson, there is much material on some of the little heard-of adventurers of those days. For older children.

The library has over seventy new Keystone pictures illustrating the costumes of many different peoples and classes of people in various countries. They are very clear and will be helpful to all who want pictures of costumes.

his stomach through which Dr. Beaumont studied the processes of digestion. The experiments thus conducted still form the major part of the knowledge medical science has of the stomach and its functions.

Others to come to the fort were the historian, Lewis Schoolcraft, the

artist, George Clayton, and General William Clark, Lewis Cass and William Scott. The great treaties of 1820 and 1830 wherein the Indians ceded away the last of their lands east of the Mississippi, were signed at Fort Crawford. The Black Hawk War centered about it and Chief Black Hawk was brought prisoner to the frontier post on his capture by the Winnebago chiefs after the rout of the Sacs and Foxes at the Battle of Bad Axe.

HOT CROSS BUNS FAMOUS IN OLD ENGLAND LONG AGO

"One a penny, buns! Two a penny, buns! One a penny, two a penny. Hot Cross Buns!"

Such was the cry that resounded through the streets of Chelsea in old England when Hot Cross Buns were the Good Friday necessity. No one could be without these delicious, spicy treats; not only because they tasted so good during Lenten fare, but because tradition demanded that a warm, spicy crumb of a Hot Cross Bun be saved until the next Good Friday to bring good luck all during the ensuing year.

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The Hot Cross Bun, a delicious,

golden-brown bun, spiced and sugared and filled with raisins or currants and marked with a cross, was sold all over England on Good Friday, but in Chelsea were the two famous bun houses which were bitter rivals.

The custom is not observed in Scotland or on the continent, but English settlers brought it to America where for years it was only celebrated by the few families fortunate enough to have the old bun recipe handed down to them for generations.

But the buns are such tempting goodies and after all it is such fun to think that perhaps a crumb may bring good luck for the whole next year, that a demand for Hot Cross Buns has sprung up and now bakers all over America are busy observing this quaint old custom.

After many more people realized how delicious this Easter treat is, bakers commenced to make them all during Lent—spicy, luscious with juicy currents and sugary cross-marked crust. Here was something that the most rigid Lenten observer could eat, for was it not made especially for Good Friday? And these buns are so satisfyingly delicious that forbidden rich foods bring Lent can be forgone without too great a trial to the spirit and the flesh.

They are here right now in all their spicy fragrance, just full of plump juicy currents and covered with sugar. They bring the charm of old tradition and real appetite—joy to the whole Lenten season.

Even in the desert Arab children are taught to read and write.

Passing the Hat.
We are now about to pass the hat. Give if you possibly can, and if you can't, don't pull any excuses that will get you into trouble.

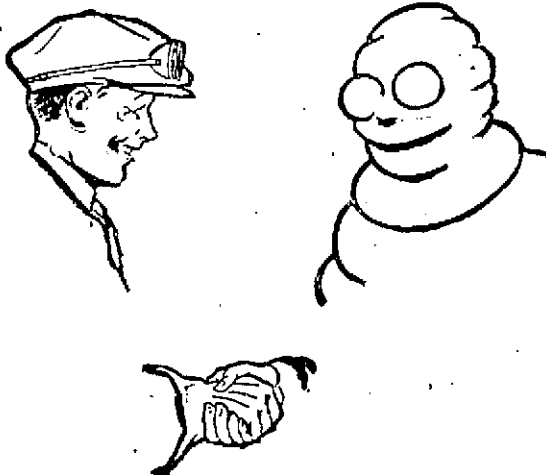
I went to church last Sunday, and not until they started to pass the collection box did I realize that I didn't have a darn cent with me. So when the man pushed the plate under my nose, I whispered to him: "I never give to missions."

The collector whispered right back:

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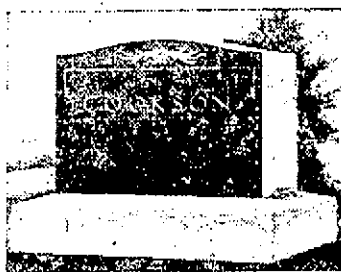


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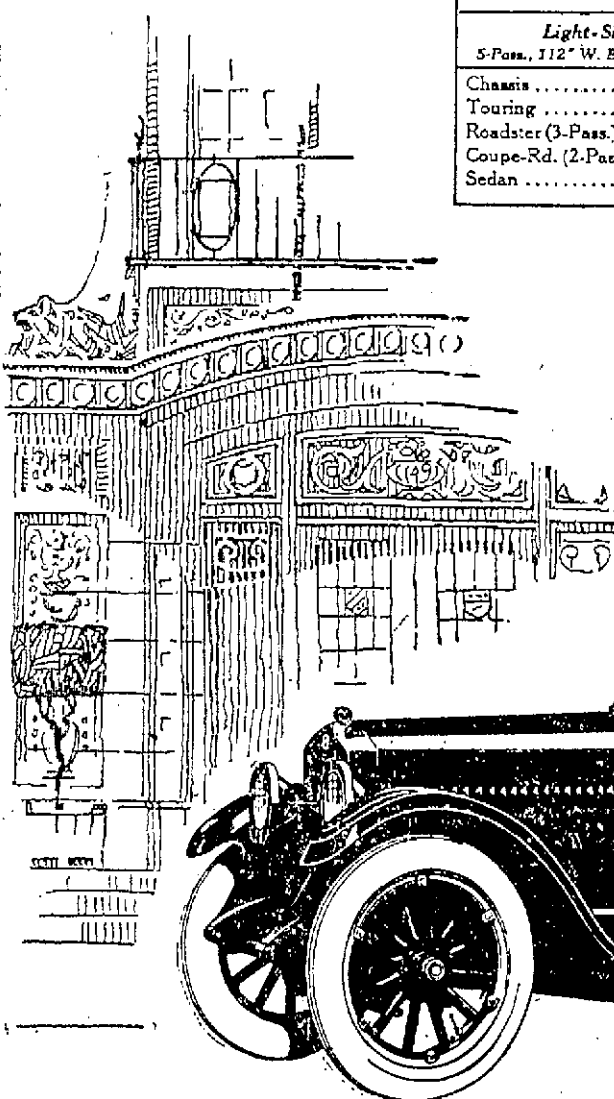
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THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

THE FLEMMINGS AND VANDERBILTS ARE GUESTS OF HONOR

Mrs. John Chase Gives Prenuptial Shower and Luncheon to Honor Miss Lindemann

VIROQUA, Wis., March 18 (Special)—In compliment to Messrs. and Mesdames William Flemming and M. J. Vanderbilt, a delightful dancing party was given at the Opera House on Monday evening by a number of friends. There were about fifty guests. The hall was prettily decorated in green, in observance of St. Patrick's Day. A caterer's luncheon was served at midnight. Messrs. and Mesdames Flemming and Vanderbilt left Saturday for their new home at Evansville, where they have purchased an ice plant.

One of the largest and most enjoyable parties of the season was given at the home of Mrs. P. P. McIntosh on Friday evening by Mesdames McIntosh and Otto Brown. There were forty guests, who spent the evening at "five hundred." Mesdames Martin Jaspersen and Loren Rappie received the favors for high scores. The rooms in the McIntosh home were very attractive with many beautiful spring flowers, the hyacinth, tulip, and narcissus being especially used.

Mrs. John Chase entertained at a pre-nuptial shower and luncheon at her home on Friday afternoon of the past week in honor of Miss Kathryn Lindemann. There were sixteen guests. Miss Lindemann received an electric grill, and other pretty gifts from the guests. On Thursday evening Mrs. C. E. Dahl and Mrs. C. E. Lander entertained a tea in compliment to Miss Lindemann, having sixteen guests.

The Mystic guests enjoyed a social hour and luncheon at the close of their regular work on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Oscar Hanson received the initiative degree.

On Wednesday evening the Royal Neighbors entertained a number of friends at the Woodmen hall in observance of St. Patrick's Day. A program consisting of musical numbers, readings and drills was given, followed by a luncheon and dance.

Mrs. Jorgen Moen had as her guests on Friday evening, the boys of her Sunday School class.

Mr. Harland Anerson was given a surprise party at his home on Wednesday evening by pupils of the sixth grade.

The Fellowship Club of the Congregational church enjoyed a meeting held in the church parlors on Sunday evening. A luncheon was served and a splendid program rendered.

Mrs. Samuel Hendrickson entertained a party of young ladies at her home on Wednesday evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Selma. Luncheon was served at ten o'clock. Miss Hendrickson received several pretty birthday gifts from her friends.

On Friday evening the annual banquet of the Home Missionary Society was held at the Methodist church. The Queen Esther Society served and it was a most enjoyable affair.

The Congregational Aid Society was entertained on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors by Mrs. George Measballe's division.

Professor and Mrs. G. C. Culver have as their guest the former's mother, who is enroute to her home in Michigan, having spent the winter in California.

Mrs. Fred Bean of Retreat, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parker of this city, a portion of the past week.

Nearly all of the teachers of the Virgona public school attended the Teachers' convention held at La Crosse last week.

Miss Lillian Opsahl of La Crosse, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Opsahl, during the week.

The Young People's Society of the Immanuel church was entertained on Wednesday evening in the church parlors by the Misses Mary Call, Christine Prestegard, Ellen and Tillie Dahl.

The Alpha Literary Society met on Tuesday evening in the high commercial room. On the same evening the Lambda Society entertained in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Frank D. McIntosh has gone to Edgerton for a visit with relatives. The daughter, Margaret, a student at Beloit college, will meet her there and together they will spend several days at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Arthur Douglas and daughter of La Crosse, were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Norris, of this city, a portion of the week.

Mr. E. C. Brown was in Chicago the latter part of the past week where he purchased a fine pipe organ for the Temple Theatre.

Mrs. Jitney Norris of West Salem, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Webb, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dyson are spending a few weeks in the east. They will visit New York City and historic points in eastern states.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers have returned home from a several days' visit in Chicago.

Mr. Roland Marshall is the guest of friends and relatives at Richland Center.

Mrs. A. R. Page of Whitewater, is a guest at the Sterry homes in this city.

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"When you mention that you saw a lady of your acquaintance on the street, does your wife ask you to describe what she wore?"

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Frederick August, ex-king of Saxony, doesn't seem to mind the loss of his throne. Here he sits in the snow, resting a spell during a mountain tramp in the Austrian Tyrol.

THE A. A. HOLMES ENTERTAIN GUESTS AT DINNER PARTY

TREMPELEAU, Wis. (Special)—Messrs. and Mesdames George Gibbs, Harry Sparling, Lora Atwood, James Peterson, and Mesdames Odekirk and L'Her were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holmes at six o'clock dinner Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Hannam entertained the "five hundred" club at her home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bigelow entertained at dinner Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holmes, Miss Lucy Holmes and Essie Boehr.

Mr. C. H. Groat, as representative of the local school board, attended an educational meeting at Madison last week.

The Ladies' Aid Society was entertained this week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Irish.

Mesdames Odekirk, Merwin, Groat and Mrs. John Cause of Galeville, were guests of Mrs. John Johnston Monday at luncheon, the occasion being her birthday.

Mrs. L. E. Putnam and Mrs. Chas. Maxwell spent Monday with Mrs. Ray Trowbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lora Atwood were guests at the home of Albert Emerson and Bob Gibson's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hermonson and family were visiting relatives at Prescott last week.

Mrs. Gus Apel, Mrs. Louise Johnson and Ann Johnson were Galeville visitors Sunday.

The Newest Freedom.

Texas are just naturally partisans. A man from that state called at the Journal office the other day. In reply to a question, he said: "Yes, the country where Ah live went Republican at election, but it's so'y now it went that way. Hoddin' ain't no poplar as he was. Ah had a fellow

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Misses Mary M. Marshall and Myrtle Staff entertained thirty of their young friends at a theater party Saturday evening. After the show the young people enjoyed themselves dancing at the Marshall home, where a delicious luncheon was served.

About twenty ladies surprised Mrs. M. Lee Sunday in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Fred Stellow entertained the Needlecraft club on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Louis Henker entertained about twenty ladies on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her birthday anniversary.

A number of West Salem people enjoyed the afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller on the North Badger road on Sunday. A picnic supper was served at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fuller entertained a few friends at a 6 o'clock dinner on Tuesday in honor of their 34th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Harvey Gullickson gave a birthday party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Bebe's, seventh birthday.

say some remarks 'bout that today right here in Tulsa. He said: 'Some great liberties have been lived in this country, Lincoln, he freed the slaves; Henry Ford freed the bosses; Thomas Edison freed the tired piano player; Hoddin' freed the working-man from hadd' law. Ain't no work now but, 'o' va'y few'."—The Oil and Gas Journal.

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with birthday, to which fifteen little people were invited.

Last Tuesday P. H. Gilder, affectionately known to many as Grandpa Gilder, celebrated his 82nd birthday. Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Moran and daughter, Anna May, spent Friday with Salem friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griswold, who have been spending some time in the east, returned home Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Clark of Minneapolis spent a few days in town this week.

The Ladies' Aid society met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Bollen. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith entertained a few friends at a six o'clock supper Thursday evening.

The Study club met on Monday afternoon, March 6, with Mrs. Brown, leader of meeting, Mrs. Brown, on Monday afternoon the club met again with Mrs. Brown. The lesson was in Chapter XVI, Mrs. Myrtle Samuels led the meeting. Special topics were as follows: Reading from "Lady of



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the Lake," Canto III, stanza 23, and Canto I, stanzas 8, 9 and 10, with explanation of connection. Mrs. Lottie McElhowney; Faults and Excellencies, his His Novels, Mrs. Alice Jostad; Story of Abbotford, Mrs. Ida Taylor; Charles Lamb's Essays, Mrs. Rose Hildebeck.

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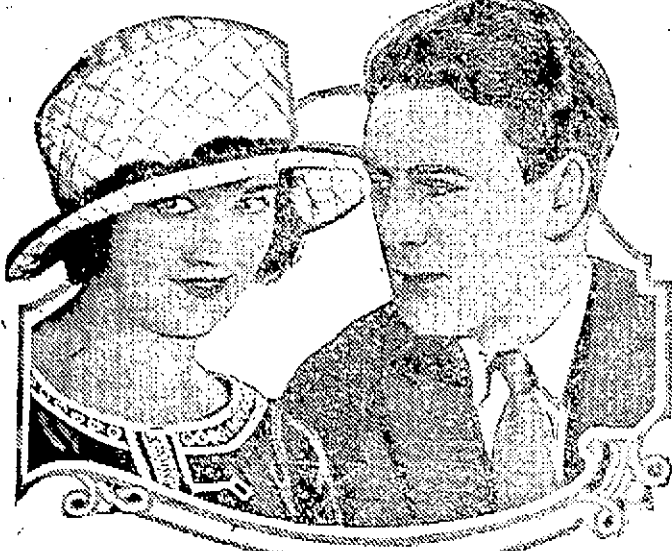
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HARRY CAREY in "The Fox"

At the Riviera today.



Scene from "THE FOUR HORSEMEN OF THE APOCALYPSE"

At the Riviera starting Monday.



Scene from MARY PICKFORD'S "LITTLE LORD FAUNTLEROY"

At the Rivoli starting today.

HOLMEN COWS MAKE GOOD RECORDS FOR MONTH OF JANUARY

L. T. Lee Elected President of the Association at the Annual Meeting

The Holmen Cow Testing association made an excellent showing during the month of January. The report follows:

Walter Ofstedahl	822	52.6
Henry Waldenberger	1212	52.1
Ludwig Lee	1000	50.6
K. O. Gaarder	1234	49.3
Emil Knudsen	711	48.6
Richard Halverson	989	48.1
Engas Bros.	1195	47.8
James Steinberg	1316	47.3
Edw. Sjogren	800	46.1
Abner Smith	837	46.0
Henry Waldenberger	1292	45.6
Emil Knudsen	1081	45.5
Ludwig Lee	948	45.0
Henry Waldenberger	1048	44.9
Abner Smith	818	44.9
Abner Smith	681	44.9
James Steinberg	1116	44.8
Ernest Skogen	919	44.1
Henry Waldenberger	1160	44.0
Richard Halverson	880	43.9
Ludwig Lee	916	43.9
Richard Halverson	878	43.9
John Engas	1550	43.4
Abner Smith	942	43.3
Garrett Bums & Son	1225	42.8
Walter Ofstedahl	782	42.7
Engas Brothers	1287	42.4

James Steinberg 1043 41.7
Henry Waldenberger 1088 41.3
Ernest Skogen 931 41.9
James Steinberg 1469 41.1
Richard Halverson 759 40.9
Clarence Holter 928 40.8
John Engas 1356 40.6
K. O. Gaarder 1069 40.6
Henry Waldenberger 965 40.5
Engas Brothers 1015 40.5
Edw. Sjogren 766 40.5
Clarence Holter 1441 40.1
John Engas 1089 40.3
Twicht Huzar 855 40
James Haug 852 40

Clarence Holter's Holsteins averaged 36 pounds of fat for the month, which is good when you consider they are doing it without silage or clover or alfalfa hay.

Mr. Waldenberger's Ayrshires are next with an average of 32 1/2 pounds of butter fat.

John Engas has a two year old heifer that produced forty and three-tenths pounds of butter fat in January. The mother, an aged cow, produced only forty and six tenths.

Mr. Waldenberger recently purchased a bull calf whose dam has a record of 100 pounds of fat as a two year old. This makes the seventh bull in the association whose mother has an advanced registry record.

We need many more herd sires in this community that are born for production that is more sires whose daughters are capable of producing forty or more pounds of fat in a month as two year olds. The average production of many herds could be raised fifty pounds of butter fat per cow in a year's production.

Well bred cows respond to feed and

care more readily than do "just cows." RICHARD HIBBY, Tester.
W. E. SPREITER, Secretary.

The annual meeting of the Holmen Cow Testing association was held in the office of the Holmen Creamery a few days ago. The regular routine business was conducted. Practically all of the old members signed contracts for another year which shows that these good dairy men think that cow testing is not a bad but paying proposition.

The following officers were elected:
L. T. Lee, president.
K. O. Gaarder, vice president.
W. E. Spreiter, secretary-treasurer.
Directors—Acton Meyer, Walter Ofstedahl, Abner Engas, James Haug.

THE TURKEY CHRISTENED ITSELF

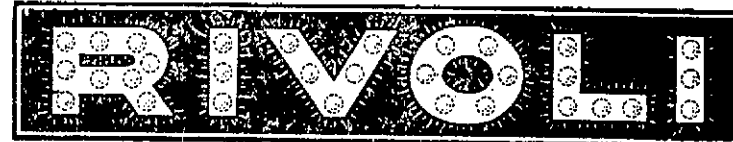
Turkey has been a feature of Yuletide fare since the sixteenth century. Native to North America, it was unknown before the navigators of that period found the western mainland. Like many another of their good finds the turkey went first to Spain, and afterwards to France and England, probably in the year 1521. Hence the name of the bird clearly has nothing to do with its country of origin. But the familiar call of the turkey is as much like "Turk-turk-turk" as any other sound that can be expressed in words and on that account, says one authority, it is more than likely that the bird christened itself. There is a tradition that one of Sebastian Cabot's lieutenants actually brought the first turkey into

England, and this is supported by the fact that William Strickland (or Strickland), who sailed with Cabot on some of his voyages, and had a

grant of arms in 1550, chose as his crest "a turkey cock in his pride." A turkey rampant remains the crest of the Strickland family.



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in

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Of the sunrise you have said a hundred times, "It is the most beautiful I ever saw," and so of Mary Pickford's latest work, the beautiful, world-famous "Little Lord Fauntleroy," you will say as you have said of Mary Pickford more than once, "she is more beautiful than I have ever seen her."

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REGENTS WOULD KEEP NORMAL GRADS FROM LEAVING THE STATE

Impress on Student Teachers
Duty of Remaining in
Wisconsin to Teach

MADISON, Wis.—Steps were taken by the board of normal school regents at its meeting here Friday, to keep normal school graduates in Wisconsin as teachers. In the past, some of the graduates are said to have left Wisconsin, after receiving their training here, to accept positions in other states.

The board adopted a resolution introduced by Regent Edward J. Dempsey of Oshkosh calling for a special effort on the part of normal school presidents and of the board to keep normal school graduates in Wisconsin. The nine normal school presidents are requested to report at the regular annual meeting of the board in July the result of their efforts in detail, and the president of the normal board is directed to address a communication to the graduating classes emphasizing the duty resting upon the members of such classes to secure employment in Wisconsin.

Fiery Stuff.
"Lips that touch bootleg shall never touch mine."
"You're right, girl. You don't want your school lips blistered."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

MARY PICKFORD IN "LITTLE LORD FAUNTILERoy" HERE

The thing that will probably interest the public most about Mary Pickford's "Little Lord Fauntleroy" coming to the Riviera Sunday is Wednesday as the feature attraction, is not so much the fact that she plays a dual role in this picture as that she takes the part of a boy.

Little Mary has played a dual role before—in "Stella Maris"—but this will be the first time she has ever

appeared as a boy throughout an entire photoplay. While it is true that she has worn masculine garb in some of her previous productions, she did so as a girl masquerading as a boy for the moment only. But in her film version of Frances Hodgson Burnett's great story, Miss Pickford is constantly on the screen as Little Lord Fauntleroy or as his mother, in fact, much of the time she is there both as the mother and the "little lord," all by the aid of cleverly devised double exposure work of the cameraman, Charles Rosher.

The total number of illiterates in Oregon in 1920 was 5,317.

COSTLY PICTURE TO BE SHOWN AT LA CROSSE SUNDAY

A cast of "extra" people worth \$75,000, at the \$5 a day rate for non supernumeraries, will be seen in the Paramount picture, "The Conquest of Canaan," starring Thomas Meighan, which will be shown at the La Crosse theater today. This cast was composed of more than 6,000 of the best citizens of Asheville, N.C., who volunteered to work in the pic-

ture. They were not ordinary extras—they worked for the fun of it. And the way they followed the instruction of R. William Noll, director of the picture, was remarkable.

For the residents of the town the stay of the Paramount company was like carnival week. Everybody jumped into the spirit of the occasion. It was fun, but work for them. The society of the town mixed with the "other half" and made one of the finest mobs that has been used in Paramount pictures in some time.

The commercial timber stand of the United States has been estimated at 1,800,000,000,000 feet.

PREDICTED THE PHONOGRAPH

A prophecy of the phonograph may be found in Cyrano de Bergerac's "Voyage to the Moon." Cyrano's imaginary traveler tells of a wonderful look presented to him by a lunar inhabitant, which had neither leaves nor letters, a book made wholly for the ears and not for the eyes. "When anybody has a mind to read it," he winds up that machine with a great many little springs, then he turns the hand to the chapter which he desires, and straight as from the mouth of a man, or a musical instrument, proceed all the distinct and

different sounds which all the lunar grandees make use of for expressing their thoughts instead of language."

An average of 2,757 persons die in the United States each day.

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They sat at the table in the restaurant where they had danced together so often, and knew that this afternoon together was their last. There had been gossip—of the sort no woman can resist. Small wonder they were distraught. They would have been more so, could they have foreseen the end of the affair which is so prominent a part of

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- SEE the rush of thrilling action along the roaring blazing old Santa Fe Trail.

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- SEE the reckless, death-defying ride of Harry Carey's famous Flying Squadron.
- SEE a great big splendid cast in the greatest heart-punch western ever put on the screen.
- SEE the greatest western actor of them all—Harry Carey—in his greatest picture—the dream of a life time come true.
- SEE a thousand and one thrills never filmed before. The first Super-western ever screened.



UNIVERSAL-JEWEL SUPER-PRODUCTION

Out in Society

MRS. THOMPSON IS PRESENTED GIFT BY THE WARD CAPTAINS

IN COMPLIMENT to Mrs. E. C. Thompson, retiring president of the La Crosse County Community Council, Mrs. Albert J. Roegner, Mrs. John C. Schell, Mrs. Ludwig B. Buntgen, Mrs. J. P. Seltz and Mrs. William O. Reed, all of whom were present at the home of Mrs. Roegner, 220 South Seventeenth street, thirty-two places were laid at a dining table, a coloring of pink and blue carried out in flowers and tapers, and guests were the ward captains, past and present.

Following the supper Mrs. R. M. L. Kneer presented Mrs. Thompson with a large Sheffield silver tray in recognition of the splendid work accomplished through her efforts in the past five years. Mrs. Thompson has held the office since 1917, leading in the work of the council with conscientious vigor and a zeal and fitness for the office.

Harmony of spirit and willingness to serve between the president and workers has prevailed, and it is deeply regretted by not only the members of the council, but the community, that Mrs. Thompson should be leaving the city.

The work at the recent annual meeting, including the presentation of the large and massive and is suitable for use as a tray or placard. It is exquisitely artistic in design and workmanship. On the reverse side it is handily engraved: "Presented to Mrs. E. C. Thompson by Ward Captains, La Crosse, Wis., 1917-1922."

THE ELKS LODGE gave one of its delightful dances Friday night at the Elks hall. About seventy-five couples were in attendance. Holcomb's orchestra furnished the music.

THE MEN OF THE Salzer Memorial Church entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society at dinner last Thursday evening at the church parlors and the various committees in charge performed their special duties with wonderful dispatch. The menu planned, prepared and served by the men was highly appreciated by the ladies and the gentlemen received many flattering compliments from them. George Schwanzel, president of the Men's League, acted as toastmaster.

After having made some complimentary remarks he introduced Mrs. Maribelle Kohn, who gave in her own fashion, several resolutions to the delight of all.

Mrs. Henry Walters sang a solo in a pleasing manner. Mr. H. A. Gabel gave a splendid talk speaking with authority and humor. Mr. W. C. Hachels gave the prizes and lauded the virtues of the good women who were with him.

Mr. George Wolff, agent of the Chicago Burlington and Santa Fe, and Mr. Edward Wolff, a business man of Hillsboro, who were guests at this occasion, gave each an interesting talk. The pastor spoke briefly upon the essentials of a strong church, stating that God needed life, simple, pure, transparent and money to promote and propagate His Kingdom among men.

Upon motion of Mrs. G. F. Soxaker the ladies extended a unanimous vote of thanks to the men encouraging them to continue in paying their full respects to the women of the church.

EUGENE KAROW has gone to Madison to spend the week-end with his parents.

PROF. LEON F. RERY of the Normal school has gone to Nashville, Tenn., to attend the Music Supervisors' National Conference.

MRS. ROBERT ROLDEN of Austin, Minn., has been visiting at the home of Mrs. L. Zaiser, 1021 Wood street, the past week.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY Nemburg and children returned a few days ago from St. Petersburg, Tampa and Lakeland, Fla., where they have been for about two months.

EUGENE MAXING has returned from a trip to Chicago.

MRS. PAUL LUTZ is in Milwaukee for a two weeks stay with her sisters, Mrs. E. J. Feizer and Miss Mamie Spetz.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM Schreder, 1515 Mississippi street, are the parents of an 8½-year-old son, born March 14th at St. Ann's hospital.

AN SPONTANEOUS daughter was born March 15th to Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Abel, 708 South Eighth street.

A MESSAGE has been received from Mrs. Joseph H. Hachels, who was called to Marquette on account of the serious illness of her father, that he is in an extremely critical condition, with no hope.

WILLIAM McKINLEY Corps No. 108, entertained on Wednesday at the corps rooms at the court house in honor of the members having passed birthdays the past three months. The corps also celebrated the birthdays of Washington, Lincoln and McKinley. The tables were prettily decorated with flowers and birthday cakes. Forty members were in attendance and an enjoyable evening was spent.

THE ADVANCE pupils of Miss Ida Schmuck gave an interesting program during their mothers as guests on Saturday afternoon at the home of Charles H. H. Schweitzer, 116 South Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Van Tassel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnson, 705 South Sixth street, Mr. M. Van Tassel of Lake Geneva, father of Mrs. Van Tassel, is expected to join the group later.

MRS. J. M. Harnack has returned home after an extended trip through the west, spending most of the time at Los Angeles and Long Beach, Calif. She visited friends and relatives at both places and enroute home stopped at San Francisco and Seattle.

A DAUGHTER was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Malone March 18th, at the Lutheran hospital. Mrs. Malone was formerly Miss Beth Kelder.

ON THURSDAY afternoon Mrs. Frank D. Robinson was a charming hostess to twelve guests at her home, 1222 Madison street. The afternoon was pleasantly spent playing cards. A vase of daffodils decked the dining table and a delicious luncheon was served at 2 o'clock. The favors went to Mrs. Theodore Kiehm, Mrs. J. Jensen, Mrs. William Hoeschler and Mrs. E. J. Gutsch.

TWELVE women of the National Gauge assembling department enjoyed a picnic dinner during the noon hour in honor of Mrs. Boyd McConnell's birthday last Thursday. Mrs. McConnell has been spending the winter in La Crosse with her parents and during her stay here she has been employed at the National Gauge. She will soon leave for her home near Williston, N. D. Hot coffee was served and Mrs. McConnell brought a birthday cake illuminated by 35 candles.

Mrs. McConnell was presented with a set of silver teaspoons as a remembrance of the day. Those present were: Misses Minnie Gaudier, E. Brooks, Marie Longway, E. Almose, Eleanor Edberg, Mrs. W. C. Wake, Mrs. Leona Weighner, Mesdames S. J. Marshall, C. L. Curry, Boyd McConnell, August Fisher and Peter Lee.

TUESDAY evening, Mrs. Jessie C. Ames was given a delightful surprise at her home, 628 Avon street, the occasion being her birthday. A number of C. M. and St. Paul Railway engineers and their wives and friends presented her with a set of silverware. A bountiful supper was served at 8 o'clock. Cards and music furnished the evening's entertainment. In the party were Messrs. and Mesdames Otto Wagner, Jacob Hole, John Johnson, Warren Smith, John Meyers, Charles May, Ray McCord, Joseph John, Wm. Kolesky, Miss Helen May, Mr. Merritt Wagner, and Jesse Ames.

MRS. ALICE Leffering, 800 South Nineteenth street, entertained the members of the E. N. A. Chapter club at her home, Friday, March 17. Twelve members were present. The color scheme was in true with St. Patrick's day. The hostess also entertained with a program beginning to the day and an enjoyable time was spent. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Schumacher's, 127 South Third street, March 21st.

MRS. JOHN Schumack, 1715 Locust street, was pleasantly surprised on her birthday by a number of relatives and friends. The ladies came provided with good things to eat and a dainty supper was served at five o'clock. Those present were the Mesdames James Andrews, Joe Ledet, Otto Brown, Tom Devine, Alfred Holm, Will Blankley, George Hawkins, Homer Hawkins, George Nutting and children, Winifred Band and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schumack and son, Roger and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Owen and sons of Stoddard, Misses Alvina, Beatrice and Erna Schumack and Mr. Charles Franz.

THE WOMEN'S Benevolent Association of the Marchers spent an enjoyable evening at Eagle's hall. Refreshments were served and refreshment was spent in social time. It was decided to hold a social dancing party at the next meeting night, April 7, the proceeds to go towards new flags for the guard team.

DR. AND MRS. A. T. Rasmussen and son, Stanley, left Friday on an extended trip through the western states to be gone a couple of months. They expect to spend some time in California and return by the southern route.

MRS. MARTHA Williams, 702 South Fifth street, was pleasantly surprised by the members of the Christian Circle. The ladies being dressed as little ladies in short dresses with their hair in curls and braids. Although Mrs. Williams is not a member of the club, she is always a welcome guest. She was presented with a beautiful plant, the presentation speech being by Mrs. Ida Amer. The ladies served a lunch from well filled baskets and an enjoyable evening was passed. Those present were: Mesdames Ida Amer, Anna Ryan, Martha Nelson, Maud Belcher, Rose Peterson, Roy Wood, Edith Jost, Loreta Reed, Sarah Seville, Anna Weinberg and Emma Gleason.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
THE WOMAN'S Union of the First Congregational church will serve supper Thursday night at 6 o'clock at the parlors of the church to the members and friends.

THE WOMAN'S Guild of Christ Episcopal church meets Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Alfred Harrison, 1335 Main street.

MRS. ADOLPH Gunderson, 1509 King street, will entertain the members of the Helpers' club on Wednesday afternoon.

THE REGULAR meeting of the Twentieth Century club will be held Thursday afternoon at the parlors of the Y. W. C. A. The hostesses will be

SISTERS TO RUN FOR CONGRESS

ASHLAND, Neb.—"If you run for congress, I shall, too!" Mrs. Irene Cleveland Buell, city prosecutor here, wrote that to her sister, Mrs. A. K. Gault, mayor of St. Peter, Minn.

Mrs. Gault announced her candidacy. And as soon as news reached Mrs. Buell she too filed her petition as a candidate for the fourth Nebraska district.

Both sisters will run as progressive democrats. Their platforms will advocate soldiers' bonus, decreased taxes, better farm prices, strict law enforcement and uniform marriage laws.

"Born to Politics"
Mrs. Buell and Mrs. Cox were "born to politics," they say.

Their mother was a cousin of Grover Cleveland, that's the wherefore of Mrs. Buell's middle name.

And their father, the late C. St. Julien Cox, was a lawyer and the first mayor of St. Peter, Minn. Mrs. Gault fills that job now.

"From the time I was a tiny girl I longed to be a lawyer like father," Mrs. Buell says. "I remember going to court with him and crouching beneath a chair in terror when the argument grew hot."

Both are mothers
The sisters' leaning toward politics doesn't shut them off from the joys of domesticity. Both are model housewives and enjoy home life.

And each sister is the mother of a son who served overseas in the war. The two boys now are attending the Boston School of Technology. They've written letters of congratulation to their mothers.

As city prosecutor Mrs. Buell earned a stir here when she sought full enforcement of the Fourth of July ordinance.

The ordinance prohibits fireworks. Seven violators, including the mayor's brother, were arrested.

Couldn't "Fire" Her
Mrs. Buell opened a prosecution. The mayor said he'd dismiss her if she didn't drop it. She didn't.

Then the city council passed a resolution dismissing her and repealing the ordinance.

But the dismissal was found incorrect legally and Mrs. Buell was retained. The Fourth of July violators were found guilty and fined.

Throughout their careers the lives of the two sisters have been closely linked. Together they were pioneer advocates of woman suffrage.

And now they hope to sit together in the House at Washington!

Mesdames C. J. Steer, James Vincent, W. W. Holcomb and A. C. Millington. The program follows:
Political, social and economical conditions during the war.
..... Mrs. Abram James Music.
Americanism Mrs. C. L. Lieb
American Women in poetry
a. Helen Hunt Jackson
b. Alice and Phoebe Cary
c. Emily Dickinson
d. Celia Thaxter
Miss Borgeson

MRS. CARL Runkel, 621 West Avenue South, will entertain the members of the Reading Circle on Monday afternoon.

THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the Business Woman's club will be held Monday night at the parlors of the Y. W. C. A. Dinner will be served at 6:30. Reservations are asked to be in early Monday morning. Every member present.

STANDARD Bearers of the Salzer Memorial church will have charge of the program and tea at the Sunday afternoon Vesper service at the Y. M. C. A. Miss Dickinson, of the High School faculty, will speak on "Answering The Call" and special music will include a piano duet by Gertrude and Elton Salzer and a selection by a quartette of girls, including Esther Bauman, Janet Atkinson, Katherine Zeratsky and Clara Wagner. The hour is 4:30.

THE SONS of Veterans Auxiliary will meet Monday night when business of importance will be presented. Every member is asked to be present. Mrs. L. Reed, Mrs. E. Lockwood and Mrs. S. Novak will be the hostesses.

MISS LAURA Schell, 1717 Currier street, will entertain the C. U. M. Monday Evening.

Dance—Women's hall tonight, every Wed. Sat. Sun. Gabel's world's best, tin and galvanized roofing. Reliable work and prices right. Call Beck with 323 N. 5th or Phone 1688-A.

The psychic class of the Spiritualist church will be postponed this coming Wednesday evening as Mrs. McFelin will be absent from the city this coming week.

One half of the proceeds for all tickets sold by the members of Business Woman's club for performance of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" with Mary Pickford to be given March 19, 20, 21, 22, at The Rivoli, will go to their treasury for the camp fund.

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William C. Skok has gone to St. Paul to attend the funeral of his father, Frank Skok, who died Saturday morning at 267 Goddard avenue, St. Paul.

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Frank Frommelt of Nodine is transacting business here.

All those holding keys in our photograph contest will kindly come in and try them. Rivoli Book Shop.

Mrs. John Rigoon, formerly Miss Mary Allen of this city, is here from



Two sisters running for congress. Mrs. Irene Cleveland Buell (above) and Mrs. A. K. Gault (below).

Totley visited friends and renewed old acquaintances and visited a number of the largest mortuaries in Denver, Colo., where the National Funeral Directors association meets this fall, and combined with the national meeting of the National Selected Morticians.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. Hours, 10 to 4, except Sat.

Mr. E. Ludwig, has returned to his home in Milwaukee after visiting in the city a few days.

Costley, court house, draws wills. Mr. Lowell Lund, Midway, is visiting here.

Normal Lecture Course—Lecture by Carl Akeley, Mon., Mar. 20th Single admission \$1.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew French and family of Bangor have returned after a visit here.

Pyorrhea? Consult Dr. Burritt dentist, stage bank bldg., X-rays taken.

Mr. John Semington, has returned to his home in Fargo, N. D., after visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. L. Thompson, 1412 Caladonia street.

We specialize in electric flat iron repairs. Linker Bldg. Co.

William Bronson, Jr., of Prairie du Chien, has returned home after attending the basketball tournament in this city. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morgan.

Be photographed this year on your Birthday. Mori Studio.

Miss Lulu Thompson of Holmen is visiting relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Mrs. H. Weyrauch, of Milwaukee, formerly of this city is ill at the Lutheran Hospital.

Miss Mary L. Damon, superintendent of music in the public schools, left Saturday to attend the National Music Supervisor's convention at Nashville, Tenn. She will be gone for a period of a week or ten days.

A son was born Saturday at St. Ann's to Mr. and Mrs. J. Blair Peak, 512 King street.

Cock Crowing Belgian Sport. Cock-crowing competitions are very popular among the working classes in Belgium. The roosters are ranged in cages, and official markers note the number of crows. The cock that has uttered its shrill cry most times in an hour carries off the prize.

Our Text-Book Age. "If I only knew what to do with baby!" "Didn't you get a book of instructions with it, mother?"—Kasper. (Stockholm.)

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BOLSHEVIK ACCOUNT OF EXECUTION OF CZAR AND FAMILY IS MADE PUBLIC

ERATERINBURG, Russia — (The Associated Press)—A Bolshevik account of the execution of the late Emperor Nicholas and his family, which took place here on the night of July 16, 1918, has been made public in a pamphlet written by P. Rykoff, former chairman of the Ekaterinburg Soviet.

It was inspired by the Communist opinion that the story of the execution should be told from the Bolshevik side. But apparently it did not meet with the approval of the high officials for although it was published in the closing days of 1921, it was immediately withdrawn from circulation. The book was printed by the state printing department of the Ural district government in this city and gives a general review of the labor revolution in the Ural. The last chapter in it records the emperor's death and is entitled, "The Last Days of the Czar."

Book is Censored
The book was obviously censored carefully before it was published as it lacks many details of the execution which ordinarily would have been given by eye witnesses. It attempts to justify the execution by explaining that the Orenberg Cossacks were then threatening Ekaterinburg from the south; the Czech-Slovak forces were pressing in from the east and letters had been received showing that plots were being formed to deliver the imperial family to the counter-revolutionists. Two extracts from letters are quoted as evidence of the existence of these plots.

According to Rykoff's account the last words of the emperor when he and his family were led unexpectedly into the basement of their prison and told that all the Romanoffs must die, were: "But are we not to be taken anywhere?"

The empress and her four daughters (the Grand Duchesses Olga, Tatiana, Anastasia and Marie) and the remaining members of the household of 11 were so stunned that they said nothing when Rykoff, the commandant of the house ordered them to line up against the basement wall and pronounced the sentence.

Rykoff says that a firing squad of four shot the former imperial family with revolvers. The identity of the members of the execution squad is not revealed.

Ural Soviet Gave Orders
The pamphlet places the responsibility for the execution of the Romanoffs directly upon the Ural district soviet which decided early in July, 1918, that the czar and his family must die and entrusted the execution of the sentence and the destroying of the bodies to Peter Ermakov, an old workman of the Ural-Isberg Works.

Avoided, commandant of the house, read the sentence, according to Rykoff's story, and there were only four witnesses. But it is not indicated whether a volley shot or even witnessed the death of the imperial family.

There were no statements in Rykoff's account which indicate that the Ural district soviet carried out the execution under direct orders from Moscow.

The Romanoffs were in their ordinary clothing when shot. It was not their custom to retire until long after 10 o'clock at night. Consequently all were still dressed when the ill-fated group of 11 was unexpectedly ordered to the basement and shot.

Public in Ignorance
Rykoff's story says the guards outside the house and the public were kept in ignorance of the shooting by a noisy automobile outside which drowned the pistol shots.

At one o'clock the next morning the 11 bodies were secretly removed from the house and "taken to a neighboring wood. There the clothing was removed. The bodies were buried first and then the clothing. Rykoff says the jewels and fragments of jewelry which Admiral Kolchak's officers later claimed to have found in the ashes were probably concealed in the clothing and overlooked by the men who disposed of the bodies.

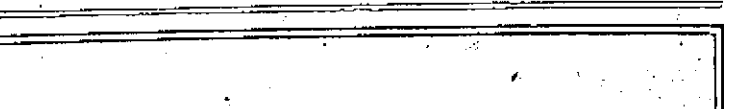
In addition to the Czar and Zarina Alexandra and their four daughters and one son, the persons who met death in the basement were Prince Delgoranoff, Dr. Rodkin, who was physician to the Romanoffs, a lady-in-waiting and a man who was nurse to the Czarovitch. The names of the last five are not given in Rykoff's pamphlet.

Grand Duke Michael, brother of the late czar, was shot at Perm in July, 1918, according to Rykoff's account, and the Grand Duke Sergius Mikhailovich, Izor, Konstantinovich, Konstantin Konstantinovich and Ivan Konstantinovich were killed about the same time at Alapayevsky, north of Ekaterinburg. These members of the Romanoff family had previously been held as prisoners in Ekaterinburg, but were transferred because of the uncertain position of Ekaterinburg with the approach of the Czech-Slovaks.

New York state has one automobile to every 14 of its residents. Tom Moore, who wrote of the Orient, has never visited it.

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Thompson, I. Hillsboro.
W. Wachter, G. Prairie du Chien.
Hanson, G. Baraboo.

THE La Crosse high school basketball team virtually became a contender in the state championship tournament to be held at Madison this week by reason of its 31 to 17 defeat of Hillsboro in the final game of the district event here at the normal gymnasium Saturday night. Although emerging victorious from one of the elimination games, that played with Prairie du Chien by four points, the local aggregation was able to come back for a more comfortable margin in the final contest. The final games were played before a packed gymnasium.

Harget Great Scorer

Greatest individual scoring ability of any player appearing in the tournament games here goes to Harget, of the La Crosse team, who passed the sphere through the hoop eighteen times out of a possible twenty-two trials in the championship game against Hillsboro. The La Crosse man bore the brunt of the scoring in the initial period, "crazing" seven single counters without a miss. Hillsboro counted but three free throws in this frame, the score at the end of which stood 7 to 3 in the locals' favor. Neither team was able to count a field goal until the second period, when Kosbach dribbled through the opponents for the first field basket.

With both teams playing a strong defensive game, the first half was easily the better exhibition of ball. Moore kicked through with a first field goal for the visitors and Thompson followed with another in close succession after one of the prettiest flashes of team work and speed seen during the entire first half. Waite added the temporary offensive goal of the visitors by ending another field goal, but the locals were not to be outdone and retaliated with two in quick succession. To top things off, Weizant changed one from the corner of the floor which was successful. The half ended 18 to 10 in La Crosse's favor.

Lecture Adds Punch

The locker room lecture between halves served to add punch to the La Crosse aggregation for they held their opponents without a score during the third period. In the final period Hillsboro was able to score two field goals and three foul shots while the locals run the count up to 31.

In the consolation game, played between Baraboo and Prairie du Chien for third place in the tourney, the latter emerged at the long end of a 19 to 18 count. It was one of the closest and most exciting games of the tournament, both teams running neck and neck up to the final whistle. Baraboo displayed the better passing game but the slight margin in better foul shooting gave the Prairie men the decision. That it was an evenly contested game was evidenced by the fact that each team counted seven field goals, Prairie netting 5 out of 10 free shots while Baraboo was able to count but 4 out of the same number of chances.

Baraboo Trims Arcadia

In the afternoon Baraboo defeated Arcadia 38 to 9 in a fast and clean contest. Hanson of Baraboo starred, but his team-mates, Duncan and Boyd were valuable men on the team. Baraboo was unusually consistent in the matter of scoring and exhibited a clever passing game. Arcadia appeared weaker in this contest than at any other time during the meet.

Prairie du Chien moved out Mauston in the afternoon game by a score of 20 to 17. Both aggregations were wont to tackle long shots, few of which were successful. Standstill, however, sunk several for the Maustons. The floor work of Rohde and Baldwin, Mauston, was a credit to the team. Schweiger, Prairie du Chien, was taken out because of injuries and Allen was inserted and proved to be a capable substitute.

NORMAL BOASTS ONE OF BEST BASKETBALL TEAMS IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL

ONE of the best basketball seasons ever known to the La Crosse Normal school has recently passed into history. With all due respect to the teams of former years, some of which were able to lay claim to the title of state champions, the team developed this year by Coach R. M. Keeler is probably the best that has ever claimed the local Normal school as its alma mater.

Individually the players were all stars of the first magnitude; collectively, they formed a powerful basketball machine. They made a team that combined weight and speed; a snappy passing game with accuracy in shooting; a stonewall defense with a battering ram offensive that forced its way through a stiff schedule to first honors in the state normal school basketball conference.

Reay Well Known

Captain George Reay is well known to many readers of the Tribune. He starred on the La Crosse High school team several seasons ago and won his letter in 1921 on the Normal school quintet. He was elected captain at the end of the season last year. Capt. Reay does not specialize in a spectacular game, but he is to be depended upon at all times. Though he plays a forward position, his close guarding, and his ability in breaking up plays of the opposition was largely due to the success of his team this season.

His running mate at forward this year is also a product of the local high school. Ben "Mooney" Vondra, who has proven himself to be a basketball player of unusual merit, and though the youngest man on the team his record is one of the best. His eagle eye in shooting free throws and his aptitude at scoring field goals from difficult positions added many points to the La Crosse total.

The leader of the scoring for the normal school crew of eagles this season is Max "Hippo" Pascoe. The big center has more than once raised the spectators to their feet during the course of games here with his thrilling and spectacular shots from seemingly impossible angles. "Hippo" weighs somewhat more than 200 pounds, but manages to keep up with the fastest on the floor. The speed he shows is amazing for such a big fellow.

Stellar Guards

La Crosse would not be wearing championship honors today if it were not for the excellent service performed during the past season by her two guards, Nick Stoneman and Sam Etlinger. The work done by these two men has held the opponents of the La Crosse aggregation to a very small number of field goals compared to the number scored by Keeler's men.

Stoneman is one of the best guards who has ever played in La Crosse—bar none. He follows the ball like a hawk at all times, and it is no uncommon sight to see him break up single handed, a play involving two or more of his opponents. He is speedy, too, and a good shot, though from his place on the floor he does not get as many opportunities to score as the other members of the team.

In Etlinger, Keeler has a guard for whom no apologies need be offered in any company. Sam is the fastest man in "Tubby's" organization and is possessed of a quick perception which enables him to solve opposing combinations and to nip them in the bud before they get a chance to do any damage.

Subs are Strong

Though not a regular on this year's quint, Ole Gunderson will make a strong bid for a permanent berth next season. He is a snappy, versatile player, working equally well in either forward or guard position.

Bill Ross is another whose excellence is not at all in doubt. His speed and basketball ability marked him for a place on the squad from the start. He is especially adept at dribbling the ball and in shooting free throws.

Web Schultz proved his worth on the basketball floor two seasons ago. He played a steady, consistent, good game all through the last season, and furnished stiff competition for the regulars of the squad at all times.

The substitute center, Zebell, is deserving of more than passing mention. He was able to outjump his man in most of the games in which he worked this year, and otherwise showed up well.

Mike Huseth was one of the best bets on the second string during the season, and will undoubtedly form a part of next year's machine. He is speedy and displayed some clever floor work—besides which he shows

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ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY TITLE SERIES

First Two Games to be Played at Toronto, With Final Two at Boston

BOSTON, Mass.—President W. S. Haddock of the United States Amateur Hockey association, announced Saturday night the final arrangements for the international championship series between the hockey title teams of this country and Canada. The series will start with two games at Toronto on March 26 and 27 and will be continued with games here on March 30 and April 1. The Canadian representative will be the winner of the Allan cup, yet to be decided and the American team will be the Westminster club of this city, winner of the United States championship.

President Haddock made public the fact that although the trophy offered for the championship was the gift of Hamilton Wills of Toronto, the deed of gift placed it in the custody of the United States Amateur Hockey association. The Canadians will appear as challengers and the winning club will be the one that scores the most goals in the four game series. Should the teams be tied for goals at the end of the series, the trustees of the cup are authorized by the conditions of the deed of gift to declare that the American representatives have defended it successfully and it will remain in the United States.

BOSTON HOCKEY CLUB DECLARED CHAMPIONS OF U. S. AMATEURS

Impossible for St. Paul to Overcome Lead of Westminster club

BOSTON, Mass.—The Westminster Hockey club of this city was declared Saturday night to be the champion of the United States Amateur Hockey association. Sheriff W. S. Haddock of Pittsburgh, president of the association, announced that St. Paul and Westminster, contenders for the title, had agreed in advance of Friday night's seventy-five minute game that a contest would result should it be counted as one-half game for each. It was impossible, therefore, for St. Paul, with only one game to be played Saturday night, to overcome the lead obtained by Westminster through its two victories at St. Paul.

O' Irony Austere.
An old soldier who fought at Gettysburg says that during the thickest of the fight he was impressed by a sign post on a tree reading "No shooting on these premises under penalty of the law."

IN THE SPORT MIRROR

WITH many requests made for 1922 rule books and statements of fans that they have vainly spent from one to six hours on the puzzle, it is evident that the Tribune's baseball problem has caused many a rabid fan to burn the midnight oil in an effort to arrive at a plausible solution. But—next to perching in the bleachers and telling the stars how the game should be played, it's the kind of skull practice they like.

Originality—not to say comedy—on the part of one youthful contestant for the treasured season pass was brought to light in his attempt to get the required eight players across the plate. He stipulated positively that they were all right-handed batters, thereby crossing the plate on taking their walk, single or double, as the case happened. Others have outfielders making sensational stabs after burbling the fence at the rear of the lot to make up for the "three balls hit over the fence, all being in fair territory when they passed out of the playing field." Bring in your solution—a season pass to the Nelson games awaits you.

Current weather conditions have seemingly failed to dampen the ardor of local baseball fans who continue with a certain fondness about this time of year to discuss the all-important subject of baseball and all its tangible possibilities with reference to what will be seen in Copeland park the coming season. Indeed we welcome the announcement of the Nelson management that a tentative schedule is being arranged and that other matters of pre-arrangement necessary for the launching of another baseball season are rapidly shaping themselves into form.

As has been the custom in previous years the Nelson club has again made final agreement with the Winona Peerless Chorus for the opening game, this year on April 20 at Copeland park. A return game on the following Sunday has been scheduled. Concerning the makeup of the club this season, officials at the present time were unable to announce, however, it was thought that a complete list of try-outs could be given out by the latter part of the week.

New material for outfitting the team has recently been purchased and tailors are busy making up the uniforms. Announcement as to when the team would embark for the "spring training" expedition could not be made at this time. While numerous requests for games are at present in the hands of the business manager, officials declare that several dates are being held open to make possible the scheduling of games with outside teams such as the Beloit Fairies and Dubuque White Sox.

"Soup" Roellig, well-known to followers of High school and Normal school sporting activities during his career at both schools here, has been recently named as coach of the Springfield High school baseball team for the coming season. The La Crosse man is spending his second year in active coaching of all departments of athletics down there and from reports which have sifted through to his home town, "Soup" is well liked and incidentally is making a record for himself. He has had active voice and charge of the training of Springfield's football teams, together with other lines of sport activity.

The following article regarding "Soup's" work was published in a Springfield newspaper: "Springfield High school baseball players will start their season with a light workout on the athletic field tomorrow afternoon."

"This will be the initial appearance for them and it will also be the first appearance of Coach Bill Roellig in the role of Red and Black mentor. With him at the helm of the baseball squad this year, prospects for a winning team are running high. Coach Roellig has announced that workouts will start after school tomorrow afternoon and will continue every afternoon and on Saturday. He wants a fast fielding outfit which will stop everything that comes its way and in addition has sent out word that he wants players who can clout the ball at a .300 clip. He is especially anxious to make up an outfield which will not only be filled with good fielders, but also they must be capable with the stick, being of the opinion that in the outfield must be represented the real sluggers."

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MIDWEST COLLEGE OUTSIDE BIG TEN PLAN TO ORGANIZE

Representatives of Seven Schools Discuss Formation of Athletic Conference

CHICAGO, Ill.—Successfully paring the rock of alumni opposition, the "little conference" which aims to embrace several central western universities and colleges outside the Big Ten, moved closer to the port of organization Saturday.

Representatives of seven schools meeting here named Dean Atchison of Marquette university, Milwaukee, Wis., to draw up regulations for an athletic association modeled after the western conference. Athletic Director Brewer of the Michigan Agricultural college, will assist him.

An application to join the conference, should it be formed, was received from St. Louis university, but action was withheld.

Coach Knute Rockne, told the meeting that Notre Dame would not join the conference. "Immediately," he expressed enthusiasm over the plan. The University of Detroit, Marquette and Notre Dame were the only schools represented with power to accept or reject the conference program. The other schools—Butler, Cincinnati, De Pauw and Michigan Agricultural college—being represented by heads of their athletic departments without faculty sanction to pledge their respective schools to membership.

Some of the schools, it was said, are hesitating because of alumni opposition any conference at this time. It was pointed out that football schedules for 1922 are completed and that even had the conference been formed it would have been impossible to play conference games this year.

YALE SWIMMING TEAM SETS NEW WORLD RECORD

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—The Yale swimming team broke the world's swimming record in the 300-yard relay against Rutgers and Carnegie and here Saturday night by five and four-fifths seconds, their time being two minutes 41 2-5 seconds. The former world's record was held by the New York Athletic club and was at New Brunswick, N. J., March 10, 1915.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

At San Antonio, Texas.—Chicago Americans, 8; New York Nationals, 4.
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Octopus Eats Whale so Fast
They Both Die, Become Oil,
Sheriff Miller Hears

Ed. C. Miller, La Crosse county sheriff, has a comment to make on the tales of oil stock salesmen which, he declares, is an outgrowth neither of unusual acumen nor of great worldly knowledge. He has merely observed it.

"I've had quite a few of them come back to me and try to sell me something else in the past few years, but I've never yet had one come back and say: 'Ha, now don't you wish you had taken my advice?'"

"No," said the sheriff, "I'll never buy oil stocks. Real estate is the investment I prefer for what little surplus I accumulate, because I will know where that is and what is being done to it."

"But, honestly," he went on, "those fellows are a funny lot. They never try to sell the same thing twice. A man came in here and tried to sell me some oil stock. I wouldn't buy and told him my hobby. If I could afford it, I would be buying real estate. I told him why. By the time he was ready to leave he was ready to quit the oil game and go into real estate. I asked the chap where oil comes from. 'I wish you could have heard the answer I got from that stock salesman. It comes from the ocean deep down in the ocean,' he said. 'An octopus catches a whale and eats him so fast they both die. Then their bodies sink to the bottom of the sea, become oil and the oil is forced underground by the pressure of deep water.'"

"Look here now," I told the salesman, 'Let's start an octopus farm or invent a whale trap. That would beat buying oil stock easily enough.' The salesman fled."

She Had Plans.
At a certain girls' school they do not allow the pupils to drive out with men unless there is a near relationship between them, or unless there is an engagement in prospect.

A girl asked permission to take a drive with a young man.

"Is he your father, brother or cousin?"

"No, ma'am."

"Are you engaged to him?"

"No, ma'am, but I expect to be before we get back."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

His Proof.
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VERNON COUNTY HISTORY

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RETREAT

In 1812 Harvey Sterling and wife, and sons Le Grand and Lewis, settled one mile northeast of the hamlet of Retreat. The Sterlings came from Kentucky. Harvey's father, Samuel Sterling, was a revolutionary soldier, and his grandson told me he was judge advocate of the court martial which tried Major Andre.

Harvey Sterling's wife who lies beside him in the beautiful Retreat cemetery, was a daughter of Jacob Harper who came from Holland and settled at Harper's Ferry, Va., and later removed to Bryant Station, Kentucky. She was one of three little girls who went out of the stockade at that place to a spring when the water supply had given out in the fort and in the face of hundreds of savage Indians led by the renegade, Simon Girty brought water and thus saved the garrison from surrendering. It was in August, 1782 and the frontiersmen called the place the "dark and bloody ground."

Harvey Sterling died about 1830.

Sterling's Story

At the great pioneer gathering at the Viroqua fair, September 22, 1892, Le Grand Sterling said: "I came here poor, worked hard and have held my own as well as most of them. Is Jimmy Foster here? I met him August 17, 1812, fifty years ago, at the cattle guard on the Wisconsin, and gave him a dollar to pilot me to Hazen's, now Eastman."

"When I came here there was not a chew of tobacco nearer than Prairie du Chien. I carried a 16 inch break-in plow and share on my back from my home in Sterling town to Prairie du Chien, 41 miles, and returned with it the same way. Postage on a letter was then 25 cents. In three or four years we got a postoffice at Liberty Pole (Bad Ax P. O.)."

We had hard times to get food. My mother ground buckwheat for five weeks in a coffee mill to feed the family."

Evidently Harvey Sterling's family coming to this county in 1812 and remaining here permanently was the pioneer family in the county and that honor does not belong to John McCulloch, who settled at Liberty Pole in 1814, or to Robert Michael believed in 1815, or to whom the older county history designated as the first permanent settler. The Eckhart family lived a little west of Retreat, and Harvey and John attended school in the Grout school house or "Old Gravel," as they called it. This famous institution was made of concrete in 1857, and was church and school house combined. Bernard A. Eckhart graduated from it and went to Chicago about 1860. The Old Gravel was his only Alma Mater. He is one of Chicago's most valuable business men and citizens. He was member of the drainage canal commission several years and food administrator during the world war. He owns large flouring mills.

John W. Eckhart, his brother, was for years a valued member of the Chicago school board, and its president. He was a flour dealer, Deacon Bishop, a Retreat pioneer, was own cousin to P. T. Barnum.

Kills Ten Indians

Mrs. Dr. Bean and Mr. Dustin were lineal descendants of Hannah Dustin, who slew ten Indians on the Monticue four days after they had killed her week-old babe, and then went back and scalped them as proof of the slaughter. Forty-two years ago Joe Prescott, carpenter, lived at Retreat.

It is claimed he invented the twice-knooter for the grain binder. Joe was

a hard drinker. A tramp crossed the country. It is believed he and Joe had drinks together, he left with Joe's secret and Joe lost out.

Rev. A. D. Chase lived at Retreat half a century ago. He was an eloquent preacher.

I heard him preach at Central church 48 years ago, during a revival. It was a cold night and the church was crowded. Boys around the stove in the rear made a slight noise. The preacher stopped his discourse and told a story: "When I first came to Wisconsin I was placed on Newton circuit. The first night I preached there I had a terrible time. After service I called the pillars of the church together and said, brethren you must do better next time. You must keep better order. An old brother spoke up and said, 'Don't you know who them were making that noise; them were the county house fools,' and ever since that time I have been very careful about reminding anyone for disturbing my meetings." All was quiet after that. Mr. Chase removed to one of the Dakotas and became state railroad commissioner.

LIBERTY POLE

Liberty Pole, five miles south of Viroqua, was so named because of a flag pole made of pine trees, spliced together and 140 feet high, erected there in the Fremont-Eckhart campaign of 1856.

Prior to that time it was called Hogtown because of the number of hogs which roamed at large there.

Quite a large hotel was built there which stood empty for years before it was torn down.

East of the village was early erected an Adventist church. Bad Ax P. O. was there in 1851, kept by Mr. Higgins, and a year or two later by Henry W. McCulloch.

John McCulloch settled there in 1841 or '45 on N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Sec. 25, the farm immediately west of the M. E. church.

Thomas Lawrence bought McCulloch's farm about 1854 and later sold it to D. A. Barnard.

McCulloch went overland to California, wrote of returning and dropped out of sight, probably killed by Indians.

Next to Harvey Sterling's family, his family was, I believe, the first to settle permanently in this county.

James Lawrence, a God fearing Englishman, father of Thomas, bought the Clawwater place, the four west fourths of Sec. 30 in 1851 of Mr. Rice. Mr. Lawrence was a devout church member and in prayer meetings always wound up his prayer with "God help us to consider our latter end and be wise."

The families who came in the forties were Samuel and Hiram Rice. George L. Taylor entered S. S. E. 1/4 of N. W. Sec. 30, December 14, 1816. As many were "squatters" and did not enter their land on the records for years after, it is hard to tell when they came.

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and bought their groceries there, using ox teams. There was a little grist mill built on the Bad Ax in 1851 by Reese. He ground the grain and sifted the meal through bolting cloth. About 1852 Wiram Knowlton, later first circuit judge at Viroqua, surveyed the Black River road from Prairie du Chien to Black River Falls. Those Hogtown pioneers were devout people. One Sunday, Hon. Allen Rusk related at a pioneer meeting, the school house was filled with worshippers when a large bear crossed the prairie in view of the people who cut short their devotions to get the bear.

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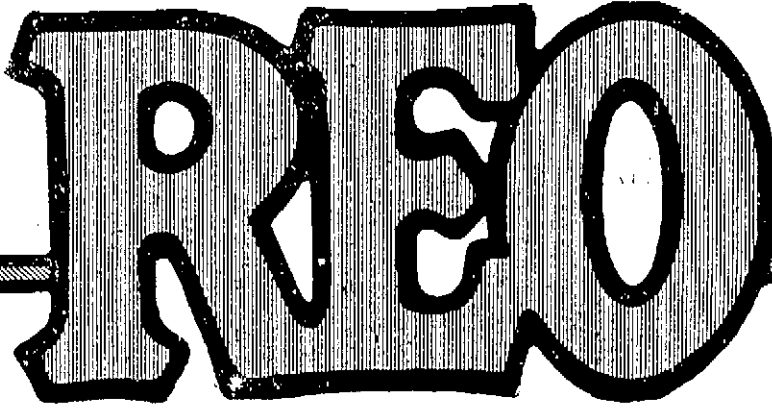
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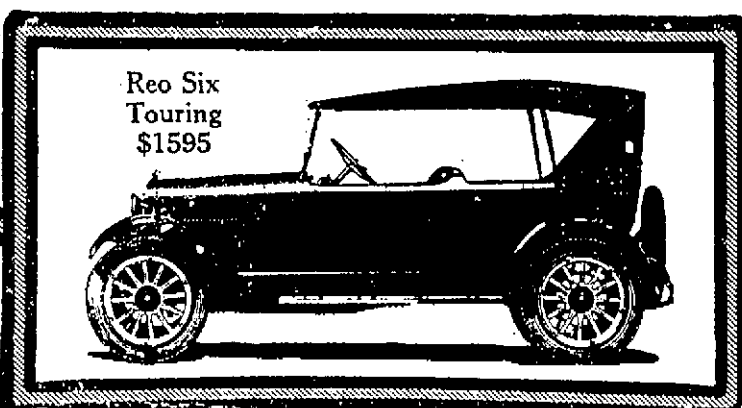
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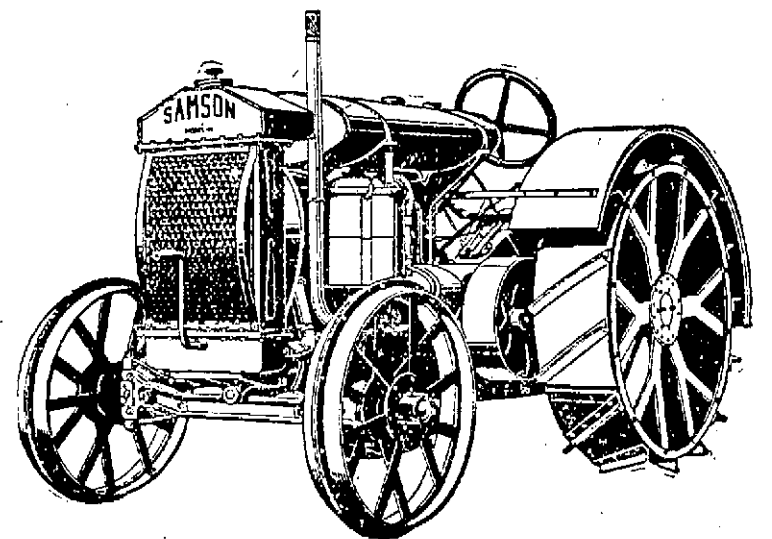
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